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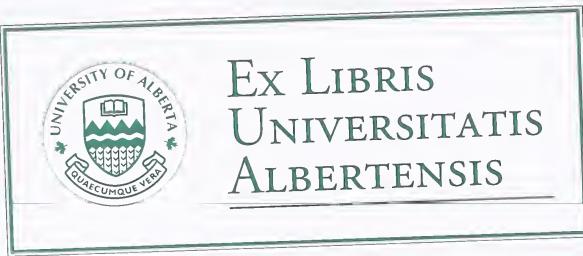


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To Her Honour
The Honourable Lynda Haverstock
Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan

May It Please Your Honour:

The undersigned has the honour to submit herewith the main financial statements of the Government of the Province of Saskatchewan for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



Harry Van Mulligen
Minister of Finance

Regina, Saskatchewan
June 2005

The Honourable Harry Van Mulligen
Minister of Finance

We have the honour of presenting herewith the main financial statements of the Government of the Province of Saskatchewan for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



Ron Styles
Deputy Minister of Finance

Regina, Saskatchewan
June 2005



Terry Paton
Provincial Comptroller

Introduction to the Public Accounts

The 2004-05 Public Accounts of the Government of Saskatchewan are organized into two reports:

Volume 1 contains the General Revenue Fund Financial Statements and the Summary Financial Statements. These are the main financial statements of the Government of Saskatchewan. It also contains information on the Fiscal Stabilization Fund.

The General Revenue Fund Financial Statements account for the financial transactions of the General Revenue Fund and the Province of Saskatchewan Sinking Funds. All public money is paid into the General Revenue Fund except where the Legislative Assembly has directed otherwise. The General Revenue Fund is available for appropriation for the public services of Saskatchewan.

The Summary Financial Statements consolidate the financial transactions of the General Revenue Fund, Crown corporations, agencies, boards and commissions. These consolidated statements provide a full accounting of the financial affairs and resources of all entities for which the Government is responsible.

The Fiscal Stabilization Fund was established April 1, 2000. Its purpose is to stabilize the fiscal position of the Government from year to year and to facilitate the accomplishment of long term objectives.

Volume 1 also contains detailed information on public issue debentures and debentures issued to the Minister of Finance of Canada.

Volume 2 contains the following:

- details on the revenue and expense of the General Revenue Fund;
- details on capital asset acquisitions of the General Revenue Fund; and
- other information including financial information on the assets, liabilities and residual balances of pension plans and trust funds administered by the Government, a listing of remissions of taxes and fees, and a listing of suppliers who received \$50,000 or more for goods and/or services supplied to the General Revenue Fund and Revolving Funds during the fiscal year.

Internet Address

The Public Accounts are available on the Internet at: <http://www.gov.sk.ca/finance/paccts>

Sources of Additional Information

Financial Statements - Compendium

The financial statements of various government boards, agencies, commissions, pension plans, special purpose funds and institutions, as well as Crown corporations which are accountable to Treasury Board are available on the Internet at: <http://www.gov.sk.ca/finance/paccts>

Budget Address

The Government of Saskatchewan presents a budget each year, usually early in the spring. At this time, a document containing the Budget Address and budget papers is tabled.

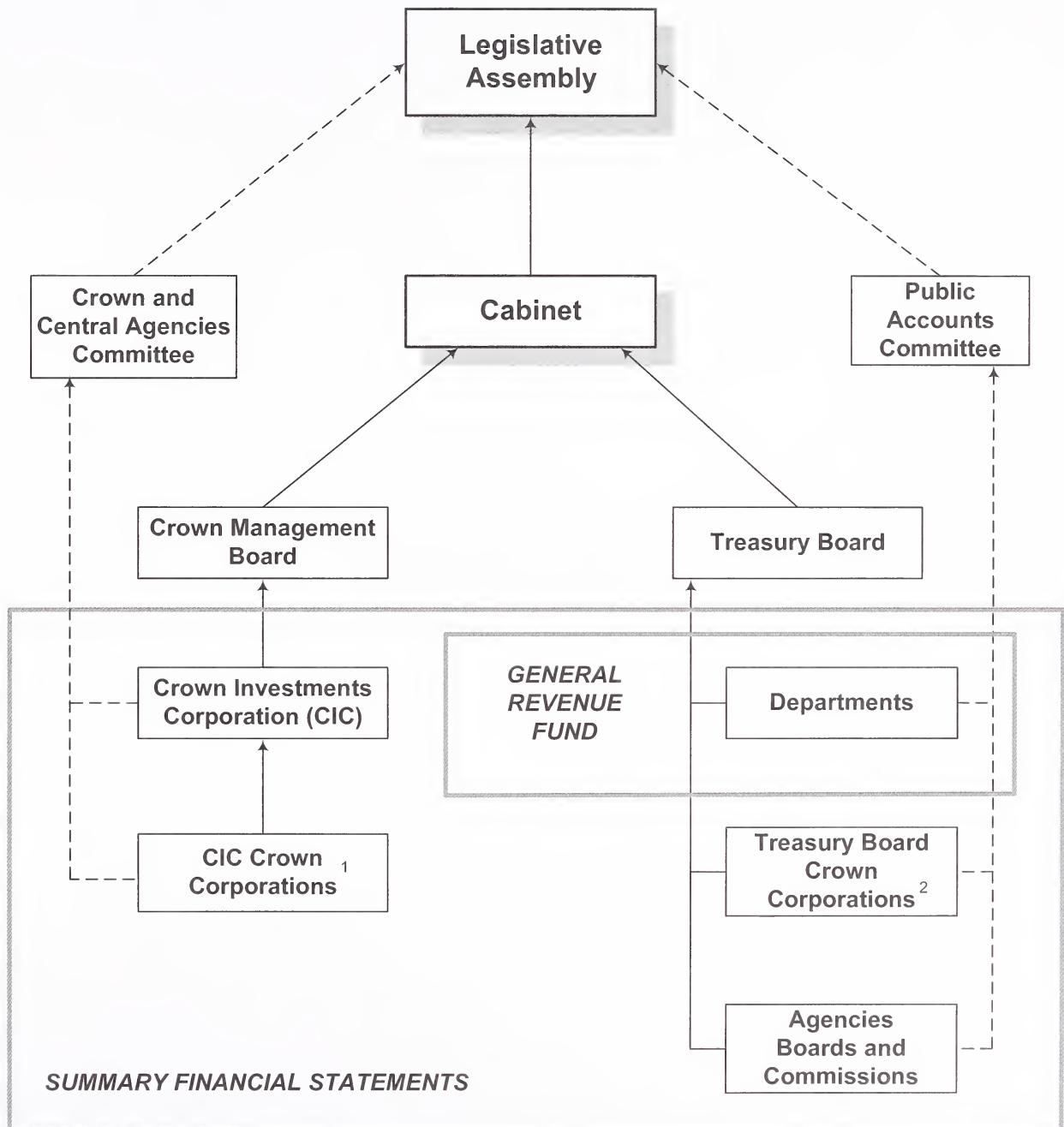
Saskatchewan Estimates

The General Revenue Fund's spending estimates for the year commencing April 1 are presented to the members of the Legislative Assembly following presentation of the Budget Address by the Minister of Finance. The Estimates outline the detailed estimates of revenue, expense, loans, advances and investments to the Legislative Assembly for approval in the form of *The Appropriation Act*.

Province of Saskatchewan Interim Financial Reports

Updates on the General Revenue Fund's revenue, expense, surplus and debt are provided in financial reports prepared after the first quarter, at mid-year and after the third quarter.

Financial Reporting Structure



1 Examples of CIC Crown corporations are: SaskEnergy, SaskPower, SaskTel, SGI, and STC.

2 Examples of Treasury Board Crown corporations are: Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan, Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority, Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation and Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation.

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General Revenue Fund Financial Statements

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Responsibility for General Revenue Fund Financial Statements

The Government is responsible for the General Revenue Fund Financial Statements. The Government maintains a system of accounting and administrative controls to ensure that accurate and reliable financial statements are prepared and to obtain reasonable assurance that transactions are authorized, assets are safeguarded, and financial records are maintained.

The Provincial Comptroller prepares these statements in accordance with the Government's stated accounting policies and using the Government's best estimates and judgement when appropriate.

The Provincial Auditor expresses an independent opinion on these statements. His report, which appears on the following page, provides the scope of his audit and states his opinion.

Treasury Board approves the General Revenue Fund Financial Statements. The statements are tabled in the Legislative Assembly as part of the Public Accounts and referred to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts for review.

On behalf of the Government of the Province of Saskatchewan.



Harry Van Mulligen
Minister of Finance



Ron Styles
Deputy Minister of Finance



Terry Paton
Provincial Comptroller

Regina, Saskatchewan
June 2005

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Auditor's Report

To the Members of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

These financial statements report transactions and events of the General Revenue Fund only. Significant financial activities of the Government occur outside this Fund. Therefore, readers should not use the General Revenue Fund's financial statements to understand and assess the Government's management of public financial affairs and resources as a whole.

Volume 1 of the Public Accounts includes a more complete set of financial statements. Those statements are called the *Summary Financial Statements* of the Government of Saskatchewan. Their purpose is to report the full nature and extent of the financial affairs and resources for which the Government is responsible. Please refer to those summary statements to understand and assess the Government's management of public financial affairs and resources as a whole.

I have audited the statement of financial position of the General Revenue Fund as at March 31, 2005 and the statements of operations, accumulated deficit, change in net debt and cash flow for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of Treasury Board. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

Reservations

1. The Government records transactions between the General Revenue Fund and the Fiscal Stabilization Fund as revenues or expenses of the General Revenue Fund. The substance of the transactions between the General Revenue Fund and the Fiscal Stabilization Fund are that amounts owed by the General Revenue Fund to the Fiscal Stabilization Fund must be repaid to the General Revenue Fund by the Fiscal Stabilization Fund. Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for the public sector do not allow the General Revenue Fund to record changes in the amounts due to the Fiscal Stabilization Fund as revenues or expenses of the General Revenue Fund.

In 2005, the financial statements show a liability of \$749 million owed to the Fiscal Stabilization Fund and an expense of \$383 million to the Fiscal Stabilization Fund. It is not appropriate to record the \$383 million as an expense because the Fiscal Stabilization Fund must return the \$383 million to the General Revenue Fund. In my opinion, instead of recording an expense of \$383 million, the financial statements should record an asset of \$749 million owed to the General Revenue Fund from the Fiscal Stabilization Fund. Had the transaction been properly recorded, financial assets as at March 31, 2005, would increase by \$749 million and the accumulated deficit would decrease by \$749 million. Also, operating expense would decrease by \$383 million and the surplus would increase by \$383 million.

In 2004, the financial statements show a liability of \$366 million owed to the Fiscal Stabilization Fund and revenue of \$211 million from the Fiscal Stabilization Fund. It is not appropriate to record the \$211 million as revenue because it is not revenue earned by the General Revenue Fund but is the reduction in the amount owed to the Fiscal Stabilization Fund by the General Revenue Fund. In my opinion, instead of recording revenue of \$211 million, the financial statements should show an asset of \$366 million owed to the General Revenue Fund from the Fiscal Stabilization Fund. Had the transaction been properly recorded, financial assets as at March 31, 2004, would increase by \$366 million and the accumulated deficit would decrease by \$366 million. Also, revenue from the Fiscal Stabilization Fund would decrease by \$211 million and the surplus would decrease by \$211 million.

2. Loans receivable from Crown corporations include \$44 million (2004 - \$32 million) that can only be repaid if the Government provides the Crown corporations with the money to repay the loans. Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for the public sector require that such transactions be recorded as an expense and not as loans receivable. Had the transactions been properly recorded, loans receivable from Crown corporations as at March 31, 2005, would decrease by \$44 million (2004 - \$32 million) and the accumulated deficit would increase by \$44 million (2004 - \$32 million). Also, operating expense would increase by \$12 million (2004 - \$12 million) and the surplus would decrease by \$12 million (2004 - \$12 million).

3. The General Revenue Fund is responsible for the liabilities of several pension plans. Note 7 states that the pension liabilities are not recorded in these financial statements. Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for the public sector require that the pension liabilities should be recorded in the financial statements. Had pension liabilities been recorded, liabilities and accumulated deficit as at March 31, 2005, would increase by \$4,143 million (2004 - \$4,023 million) and operating expense would increase by \$120 million (2004 - \$47 million) and the surplus would decrease by \$120 million (2004 - \$47 million).

Opinion

In my opinion, except for the effects of recording changes in the amounts due to the Fiscal Stabilization Fund as revenues or expenses of the General Revenue Fund, the recording of loans receivable instead of expenses when the Government has to provide the money to repay the loans receivable, and the failure to record pension liabilities as described in the preceding paragraphs, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the General Revenue Fund as at March 31, 2005 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for the public sector.



Regina, Saskatchewan
June 8, 2005

Fred Wendel, CMA, CA
Provincial Auditor

General Revenue Fund

Statement of Financial Position

As at March 31, 2005

		(thousands of dollars)	
Schedule		2005	2004
Financial Assets			
	Cash and temporary investments (note 3).....	\$ 859,587	\$ 501,675
	Prepaid expenses.....	-	2,221
1	Accounts receivable.....	657,480	575,364
	Agricultural land held for resale (note 4).....	106,508	108,086
	Deferred charges.....	55,442	50,014
2	Loans to Crown corporations.....	3,583,364	3,612,227
3	Other loans	128,911	121,478
	Equity investment in Crown Investments Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	1,181,152	1,181,152
	Total Financial Assets	6,572,444	6,152,217
Liabilities			
4	Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	1,300,639	983,792
5	Deposits held.....	981,615	570,798
	Unearned revenue.....	62,776	57,798
6,7&8	Debt.....	\$ 11,128,938	\$ 11,643,864
	Unamortized foreign exchange loss.....	(21,136)	(50,030)
		11,107,802	11,593,834
	Total Liabilities	13,452,832	13,206,222
	Net Debt	(6,880,388)	(7,054,005)
Non-financial Assets			
	Prepaid expenses.....	2,113	-
	Inventories for consumption	57,435	-
	Tangible capital assets (note 5).....	1,773,630	-
	Total Non-financial Assets	1,833,178	-
	Accumulated Deficit	\$ (5,047,210)	\$ (7,054,005)

(See accompanying notes)

Retirement benefits, contingencies, and contractual obligations (notes 7, 12, 13)

9 Guaranteed debt

General Revenue Fund Statement of Operations

For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

Schedule	(thousands of dollars)		
	Budget 2005	Actual 2005	Actual 2004
Revenue			
10 Taxation.....	\$ 3,543,900	\$ 3,589,215	\$ 3,397,696
10 Non-renewable resources	707,400	1,474,191	1,140,962
10 Transfers from Government entities.....	664,100	684,464	614,250
10 Other own-source revenue.....	349,400	377,651	372,538
10 Transfers from the federal government	1,325,700	1,666,299	1,032,952
Total Revenue	6,590,500	7,791,820	6,558,398
Operating Expense			
Executive Branch of Government			
Agriculture, Food and Rural Revitalization.....	264,349	391,566	332,388
Centenary Fund.....	-	-	27,843
Community Resources and Employment.....	602,766	603,048	605,027
Corrections and Public Safety.....	118,887	119,456	117,596
Culture, Youth and Recreation.....	42,161	52,958	47,668
Environment	161,671	133,171	178,335
Executive Council.....	7,362	7,545	7,119
Finance	241,656	242,537	235,598
Government Relations and Aboriginal Affairs ¹	195,108	193,120	187,003
Health.....	2,700,416	2,773,961	2,515,823
Highways and Transportation.....	252,285	255,249	293,732
Highways and Transportation - commercial operations (note 9).....	-	5,583	-
Industry and Resources	61,194	75,627	71,514
Information Technology Office.....	2,609	4,144	3,089
Justice.....	199,907	202,314	194,659
Labour.....	14,201	14,172	13,779
Learning.....	1,216,263	1,299,940	1,256,112
Northern Affairs.....	5,232	4,902	4,883
Public Service Commission.....	8,351	8,263	8,515
Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation.....	16,808	24,278	22,108
Saskatchewan Research Council.....	7,779	7,779	7,964
Legislative Branch of Government			
Chief Electoral Officer.....	761	794	7,779
Conflict of Interest Commissioner.....	122	107	102
Information and Privacy Commissioner.....	387	373	290
Legislative Assembly.....	18,772	18,462	18,295
Ombudsman and Children's Advocate.....	2,731	2,752	2,737
Provincial Auditor.....	5,755	5,755	5,755
Total Operating Expense (note 11)	6,147,533	6,447,856	6,165,713
Operating Surplus.....	442,967	1,343,964	392,685
Finance - Servicing the Debt (note 10).....	(614,000)	(578,847)	(602,702)
Transfer (to) from the Fiscal Stabilization Fund.....	171,100	(382,500)	211,000
Surplus	67	382,617	983

(See accompanying notes)

¹ For 2005, Government Relations and Aboriginal Affairs reflects expenses for the Department of Government Relations and the Department of First Nations and Metis Relations.

General Revenue Fund

Statement of Accumulated Deficit

For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

	(thousands of dollars)		
	Budget 2005	Actual 2005	Actual 2004
Accumulated deficit, beginning of year.....	\$ (7,054,005)	\$ (7,054,005)	\$ (7,008,901)
Adjustment to accumulated deficit (note 18).....	1,590,503	1,624,178	(46,087)
Surplus.....	67	382,617	983
Accumulated Deficit, End of Year (note 8)	\$ (5,463,435)	\$ (5,047,210)	\$ (7,054,005)

(See accompanying notes)

General Revenue Fund

Statement of Change in Net Debt

For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

	(thousands of dollars)	
	Budget 2005	Actual 2005
Surplus	\$ 67	\$ 382,617

Tangible Capital Assets

Acquisitions (note 5).....	(146,781)	(149,751)
Amortization (note 5).....	104,263	103,411
Net (gain) loss on sale.....	-	143
Proceeds on sale.....	-	133
Net Acquisition of Tangible Capital Assets	(42,518)	(46,064)

Other Non- financial Assets

Net use of prepaid expenses.....	-	108
Net acquisition of inventories for consumption.....	-	(2,964)
Net Acquisition of Other Non-financial Assets	-	(2,856)

(Increase) decrease in net debt	(42,451)	333,697
Net tangible capital assets transferred from government organizations (note 5).....	(151,872)	(157,859)
Net Debt, beginning of year.....	(7,054,005)	(7,054,005)
Reclassification of prepaid expenditures to non-financial assets (note 18).....	(2,221)	(2,221)
Net Debt, End of Year	\$ (7,250,549)	\$ (6,880,388)

(See accompanying notes)

General Revenue Fund
Statement of Cash Flow
For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

Schedule	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Operating Activities		
Surplus for the year.....	\$ 382,617	\$ 983
11 Non-cash items included in surplus	58,538	36,577
12 Net change in non-cash operating activities	231,425	104,065
Adjustment to accumulated deficit.....	-	(46,087)
Cash Provided by Operating Activities	672,580	95,538
Capital Activities		
Acquisition of tangible capital assets (note 5).....	(149,751)	-
Proceeds on sale of tangible capital assets.....	133	-
Cash Used for Capital Activities	(149,618)	-
Investing Activities		
13 Loan Advances.....	(525,660)	(499,635)
13 Loan Repayments.....	301,829	306,969
13 Sinking fund contributions received from Crown corporations.....	25,729	24,608
13 Contributions made to sinking funds.....	(91,273)	(83,424)
13 Debt redemption funded from sinking funds.....	120,577	30,234
13 Other.....	1,380	1,628
Cash Used for Investing Activities	(167,418)	(219,620)
Financing Activities		
Proceeds from debt.....	986,501	1,124,423
Repayment of debt.....	(1,394,950)	(642,482)
Increase (decrease) in deposits held.....	410,817	(209,186)
Cash Provided by Financing Activities	2,368	272,755
Increase in Cash and Temporary Investments	357,912	148,673
Cash and temporary investments, beginning of year	501,675	353,002
Cash and Temporary Investments, End of Year	\$ 859,587	\$ 501,675

(See accompanying notes)

General Revenue Fund

Notes to the Financial Statements

As at March 31, 2005

1. Significant Accounting Policies

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles for senior governments as recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants, with the following exceptions:

- transfers to and from the Fiscal Stabilization Fund are included in the determination of surplus for the year; and
- pension liabilities are not recorded in the financial statements. The General Revenue Fund accounts for defined benefit pension obligations on a cash basis.

The significant accounting policies are summarized below.

a) Reporting entity

The General Revenue Fund is the general fund which receives all revenues unless otherwise specified by law. Spending from the General Revenue Fund is appropriated by the Legislative Assembly.

Other government entities such as special purpose funds, Crown corporations, and other agencies, report separately in other financial statements. Only financial transactions to or from these other entities are included in the General Revenue Fund. The net expenses/recoveries for revolving funds' operations are charged to expense.

The Government's summary financial statements which include the financial activities of the General Revenue Fund and other government entities are provided separately.

b) Basis of accounting

Revenue

Revenues are recorded on the accrual basis except for corporate and personal income taxes which are recorded when received from the federal government. Government transfers are recognized as revenue in the period during which the transfer is authorized and any eligibility criteria are met.

Expense

Expenses are recorded on the accrual basis, except for defined benefit pension plan costs which are recorded on the cash basis. Government transfers are recognized as expenses in the period during which the transfer is authorized and any eligibility criteria are met.

Assets

Financial assets are those assets on hand at the end of an accounting period which could provide resources to discharge existing liabilities or finance future operations and are not for consumption in the normal course of operations.

Temporary investments are recorded at the lower of cost or market.

Agricultural land held for resale is valued at the lower of cost or net realizable value, on an aggregate basis.

Deferred charges include issue costs and net discounts or premiums incurred on the issue of long-term debt. They are recorded at cost and amortized on a straight-line basis over the remaining life of the debt issue.

Loans to Crown corporations and **Other loans** generally have fixed repayment terms and are interest bearing. Short-term loans to Crown corporations are recorded at par; all other loans are recorded at cost. Interest received on these loans is netted against interest paid on money borrowed for these loans.

Equity investment in Crown Investments Corporation of Saskatchewan is an advance to the corporation to form its equity capitalization and is recorded at cost.

Where there has been a loss in value that is other than a temporary decline, loans and equity investments are written down to recognize the loss.

Non-financial assets are acquired, constructed or developed assets that do not normally provide resources to discharge existing liabilities, but instead are normally employed to deliver government services, may be consumed in the normal course of operations and are not for sale in the normal course of operations.

Inventories for consumption are recorded at cost and expensed as they are consumed.

General Revenue Fund

Notes to the Financial Statements

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost and include all amounts directly attributable to the acquisition, construction, development or betterment, except interest. Tangible capital assets are generally amortized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of each asset.

Liabilities

Liabilities are present obligations to outside organizations and individuals as a result of transactions and events occurring prior to year end, which will be satisfied in the future through the transfer or use of assets or another form of economic settlement. They consist of obligations to provide authorized transfers where any eligibility criteria have been met, to repay borrowings, to pay for goods and services acquired prior to year end, and to deliver goods or services in the future, where payment has been received.

Unearned revenue consists mainly of revenue for Crown mineral leases and motor vehicle fees that will be earned in a subsequent fiscal year.

Debt is issued for general government purposes and for Crown corporations. All debt is recorded at par.

Premiums, discounts, and issue costs incurred on debt issued for general government purposes are recorded as deferred charges and amortized on a straight-line basis over the remaining life of the debt issue.

Certain debenture issues require contributions to a sinking fund. These obligations are recorded at principal less sinking fund balances where applicable. The General Revenue Fund is reimbursed by Crown corporations for all sinking fund contributions made on debt incurred on their behalf. Premiums and discounts on long-term investments within the sinking fund are amortized on a constant yield basis.

Debt issues and sinking fund investments held in foreign currencies are converted to the Canadian dollar equivalent at the exchange rate in effect at March 31.

Interest, discounts, premiums and commissions on money borrowed for Crown corporations and others are netted against reimbursements by these entities.

Unamortized foreign exchange loss includes unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from conversion of debt and sinking fund investments, held for general government purposes in a foreign currency, to the Canadian dollar equivalent at March 31. Unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses are amortized on a straight-line basis over the remaining life of the debt issue. Realized foreign exchange gains or losses, resulting from transactions for general government purposes, are included in servicing the debt.

Guaranteed debt includes guarantees by the Minister of Finance, made through specific agreements or legislation, to repay promissory notes, bank loans, lines of credit, mortgages and other securities. Loss provisions on guaranteed debt are recorded when it is likely that a loss will occur. The amount of the loss provision represents the best estimate of future payments less recoveries. The loss provision is recorded as a liability and an expense in the year determined and is adjusted as necessary to ensure it equals the expected payout of the guarantee.

2. Measurement Uncertainty

Uncertainty in the determination of the amount at which an item is recognized in financial statements is known as measurement uncertainty. Such uncertainty exists when there is a variance between the recognized amount and another reasonably possible amount.

Measurement uncertainty exists in these financial statements in the accrual of non-renewable resource royalties, and the federal government's Equalization, Canada Health Transfer and Canada Social Transfer payments. The uncertainty arises from factors such as price and production sensitivities in the royalty structures, and the effect on transfers from the federal government of changes in economic and demographic conditions in the Province and the country. It is reasonably possible that changes in future conditions in the near term could require a material change in the amounts recognized. Near term is defined as a period of time not to exceed one year from the date of the financial statements.

3. Cash and Temporary Investments

Temporary investments are generally for less than 30 days, and have an average effective interest rate of 2.53 per cent. These investments are carried at cost which approximates market value.

4. Agricultural Land Held For Resale

The estimated net realizable value of the agricultural land held for resale at March 31, 2005 is \$204.9 million (2004 - \$205.2 million).

General Revenue Fund

Notes to the Financial Statements

5. Tangible Capital Assets

The Government has a significant investment in tangible capital assets that have a useful life of greater than one year. These assets are a key component in the delivery of government programs and provide on-going value to the public.

The following table discloses the Government's tangible capital assets and does not include works of art and historical treasures such as the Legislative Building. Intangible assets and items inherited by right of the Crown, such as Crown lands, forests, water and mineral resources, are not recognized in these financial statements.

The Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation (SPMC) also acquires tangible capital assets for use in day to day operations. SPMC manages most of the buildings and land used in the provision of services to the public. These assets are reported separately in the financial statements of SPMC.

	2005					(thousands of dollars)		2004	
	Land & Buildings	Machinery & Equipment	Transportation Equipment	Office & Information Technology	Infrastructure	Total		Total ¹	
	15 years-Indefinite	10-20 years	10-40 years	5-10 years	15-40 years			(Restated)	
<u>Estimated useful life</u>									
Opening Net Book Value of Tangible Capital Assets (Restated)	\$ 87,122	\$ 56,202	\$ 7,831	\$ 38,347	\$ 1,380,205	\$ 1,569,707	\$ 1,423,665		
Opening cost.....	94,635	98,485	12,359	63,864	2,694,800	2,964,143	2,762,702		
Acquisitions.....	6,335	8,641	5,804	9,453	119,518	149,751	242,816		
Transfers ²	180,874	-	-	1,012	177	182,063	(344)		
Disposals.....	-	(1,000)	-	-	(41,241)	(42,241)	(41,031)		
Closing cost ³	281,844	106,126	18,163	74,329	2,773,254	3,253,716	2,964,143		
Opening accumulated amortization.....	7,513	42,283	4,528	25,517	1,314,595	1,394,436	1,302,628		
Annual amortization.....	6,429	4,484	705	7,129	84,664	103,411	133,370		
Transfers ²	23,372	-	-	832	-	24,204	(592)		
Disposals.....	-	(735)	-	-	(41,230)	(41,965)	(40,970)		
Closing accumulated amortization	37,314	46,032	5,233	33,478	1,358,029	1,480,086	1,394,436		
Closing Net Book Value of Tangible Capital Assets	\$ 244,530	\$ 60,094	\$ 12,930	\$ 40,851	\$ 1,415,225	\$ 1,773,630	\$ 1,569,707		

¹ Tangible capital assets were not reported on the Statement of Financial Position in 2004.

² During 2004-05, the Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation transferred capital assets with a cost of \$181.9 million and accumulated amortization of \$24.2 million to the General Revenue Fund in exchange for the cancellation of the Corporation's loan.

³ Closing cost includes work-in-progress of \$11.7 million (2004 - \$8.4 million).

6. Risk Management of Public Debt

Funds are borrowed in both domestic and foreign capital markets by issuing Province of Saskatchewan securities. This borrowing activity finances general government operations and the activities of Crown corporations. These transactions result in exposure to four types of risk - interest rate risk, foreign exchange rate risk, credit risk and liquidity risk.

To manage these risks, a preference for fixed rate Canadian dollar denominated debt is maintained. Where market conditions dictate that other forms of debt are more attractive, opportunities are identified to use derivative financial instruments to reduce these risks. A derivative financial instrument is a contract whose value is based on the value of another asset or index.

Interest rate risk is the risk that debt servicing costs will increase due to changes in interest rates. This risk is managed by issuing debt securities at predominantly fixed rates of interest rather than at floating rates of interest. Opportunities are sought to effectively convert floating rate debt into fixed rate debt through the use of interest rate swaps. At March 31, 2005, 88.1% (2004 - 82.0%) of the gross debt effectively carried a fixed rate of interest.

Foreign exchange rate risk is the risk that debt servicing costs will increase due to a decline in the value of the Canadian dollar relative to other currencies. This risk is managed by maintaining a preference for issuing debt that is denominated in Canadian dollars. Where debt has been issued in foreign currencies, opportunities are sought to effectively convert it into Canadian dollar debt through the use of a cross currency swap. At March 31, 2005, 91.5% (2004 - 86.3%) of the gross debt was effectively denominated in Canadian dollars.

General Revenue Fund Notes to the Financial Statements

Credit risk is the risk that a loss may occur from the failure of another party to meet its obligations under a derivative financial instrument contract. This risk is managed by dealing only with counterparties with good credit ratings and by establishing limits on individual counterparty exposures and monitoring those exposures on a regular basis. At March 31, 2005, 100% (2004 - 100%) of counterparties held a credit rating of A or higher, as defined by Standard and Poor's.

Liquidity risk is a risk that financial commitments will not be met over the short-term. This risk is managed by distributing debt maturities over many years, maintaining sinking funds on long-term debt issues and maintaining adequate cash reserves and short-term borrowing programs as contingent sources of liquidity.

Schedule 8 provides more detailed information regarding the use of derivative instruments.

7. Retirement Benefits

The Government sponsors several defined benefit pension plans and a defined contribution pension plan.

Pension fund assets of government sponsored defined benefit and defined contribution pension plans are invested in fixed income securities, equities, real estate and short-term monetary items. The investment in Government of Saskatchewan securities is insignificant for all plans.

Defined benefit pension plans

Defined benefit plans provide benefits based on length of service and pensionable earnings. A typical defined benefit plan provides pensions equal to 2 per cent of a member's average five years highest salary, multiplied by the years of service to a maximum of 35 years. Members contribute a percentage of salary, which may vary based on age, to their plan. Pensions and contribution rates are integrated with the Canada Pension Plan.

The two main plans are the Teachers' Superannuation Plan (TSP) and the Public Service Superannuation Plan (PSSP). Other plans include Judges of the Provincial Court Superannuation Plan (Judges), Saskatchewan Transportation Company Employees Superannuation Plan, Anti-TB League Employees Superannuation Plan and the Saskatchewan Pension Annuity Fund, an annuity underwriting operation. Obligations for allowances payable from the former Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Fund (MLA) are part of the General Revenue Fund.

Actuarial valuations are performed at least triennially. These valuations are extrapolated by an actuary when a valuation is not done in the current fiscal year. Valuations are based on a number of assumptions about future events, such as inflation rates, interest rates, wage and salary increases and employee turnover and mortality. These assumptions reflect estimates of expected long-term rates and short-term forecasts. Estimates vary based on the individual plan.

The accrued benefit obligation is determined using the projected benefit method prorated on services. Pension fund assets are valued at market related values based on actual market values averaged over a four year period. In the periods between valuations, the actuary estimates the market related value of pension fund assets using expected long-term rates of return for the individual plans.

The TSP provides inflation protection equal to 80 per cent of the annual increase in the Consumer Price Index. Other plans provide inflation indexing at the discretion of the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

The Government is required to match member current service contributions for all plans except Judges and the PSSP. Separate pension funds are maintained for all plans except the PSSP and MLA. PSSP member contributions are deposited into the General Revenue Fund. All pension obligations arising under the PSSP and MLA are paid from the General Revenue Fund.

Information on the defined benefit plans follows.

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	2005				2004
	TSP	PSSP	Others	Total	Total
Plan status.....	closed	closed	closed ¹	n/a	n/a
Member contribution rate, percentage of salary.....	7.85	7-9 ²	5-9 ²	n/a	n/a
Number of active members.....	3,811	1,580	68	5,459	6,252
Average age of active members, years.....	51.9	53.7	56.0	52.4	52.0
Former members entitled to deferred pension benefits.....	5,645	131	10	5,786	6,013
Number of superannuates and surviving spouses.....	10,238	5,780	2,307	18,325	17,987
Actuarial valuation date.....	Jun 30/03	Dec 31/02	Various	n/a	n/a
Assumptions used:					
Rate of compensation increase.....	3.50%	4.00%	4.00%	n/a	n/a
Expected long-term rate of return on plan assets.....	7.00%	6.25%	6.25%	n/a	n/a
Discount rate.....	7.00%	6.25%	6.25%	n/a	n/a
Inflation rate.....	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	n/a	n/a

¹ Judges is open to new membership; all other plans are closed.

² Contribution rate varies based on age upon joining the plan.

Based on the latest actuarial valuation, extrapolated to March 31, 2005, the present value of accrued pension benefits and the market related value of pension fund assets are shown in the table below:

	2005				2004
	TSP ¹	PSSP	Other	Total	Total
Accrued benefit obligation,					
beginning of year.....	\$ 4,137,353	\$ 1,578,853	\$ 244,589	\$ 5,960,795	\$ 5,613,436
Current benefit cost.....	55,064	16,833	3,178	75,075	74,565
Interest cost.....	280,496	96,121	15,271	391,888	389,996
Actuarial (gains) losses.....	-	(5,029)	(2,421)	(7,450)	234,994
Benefit payments.....	(260,558)	(98,680)	(653)	(359,891)	(352,196)
Accrued benefit obligation, end of year	4,212,355	1,588,098	259,964	6,060,417	5,960,795
Plan assets, beginning of year.....	1,623,832	-	157,483	1,781,315	1,927,066
Return on plan assets.....	111,337	-	10,971	122,308	132,687
Employer contributions.....	80,080	92,936	4,853	177,869	170,343
Employee contributions.....	19,382	5,744	362	25,488	24,879
Plan expenses.....	(3,427)	-	(1,532)	(4,959)	(3,488)
Actuarial gains (losses).....	-	-	-	-	(117,976)
Benefit payments.....	(260,558)	(98,680)	(653)	(359,891)	(352,196)
Plan assets, end of year	1,570,646	-	171,484	1,742,130	1,781,315
	2,641,709	1,588,098	88,480	4,318,287	4,179,480
Unamortized estimation adjustments ²	(86,803)	(88,116)	(508)	(175,427)	(156,324)
Pension Liabilities ³	\$ 2,554,906	\$ 1,499,982	\$ 87,972	\$ 4,142,860	\$ 4,023,156

¹ The TSP accrued benefit obligation includes a liability of \$40.5 million (2004 - \$43.0 million) relating to the TSP disability provision. The TSP's actual rate of return on plan assets was 10.3 per cent (2004 - 21.3 per cent).

² Amortized against the net obligation over 4 to 13 years, which is the estimated average remaining service life of active plan members at the time the estimation adjustment arose.

³ Pension liabilities are estimated using interest rates that are reflective of the long-term rate of returns and short-term forecasts. A 1 per cent decrease in the interest rate would result in a \$484.4 million and \$189.0 million increase in the pension liabilities for TSP and PSSP, respectively, and a 1 per cent increase would result in a \$398.7 million and \$157.2 million decrease in the pension liabilities for TSP and PSSP, respectively.

At March 31, 2005, the market value of plan investments was \$1.8 billion (2004 - \$1.8 billion). Of this amount, 41.7 per cent (2004 - 39.6 per cent), was invested in fixed income securities and 50.1 per cent (2004 - 53.7 per cent) in equity investments.

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Defined contribution plans

Defined contribution plans provide pensions based on accumulated contributions and investment earnings. Employees contribute a percentage of salary.

The Government sponsors the Public Employees Pension Plan (PEPP), a multi-employer defined contribution plan. Employers are required to provide contributions at specific rates for employee current service. The General Revenue Fund has fully funded its share. The General Revenue Fund also contributes to the Saskatchewan Teachers' Retirement Plan (STRP), sponsored by the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation.

Information on the defined contribution plans to which the General Revenue Fund contributes follows:

	2005	2004		
	PEPP	STRP	Total	Total
Plan status.....	open	n/a	n/a	n/a
Member contribution rate, percentage of salary.....	5 - 6.35 ¹	n/a	n/a	n/a
Employer contribution rate, percentage of salary.....	6.35	n/a	n/a	n/a
Number of active members, all employers.....	29,452	n/a	29,452	29,324
General Revenue Fund participation:				
Number of active members.....	15,321	n/a	15,321	14,554
Number of inactive members.....	7,397	n/a	7,397	7,758
Member contributions (thousands of dollars).....	\$ 32,457	n/a	\$ 32,457	\$ 31,137
Government contributions (thousands of dollars)	32,584	\$ 32,817	65,401	62,602

¹ Contribution rate varies based on employee group.

Pension expense

Pensions are accounted for on a cash basis. The pension liabilities are not recorded in the financial statements.

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Defined benefit plans.....	\$ 177,869	\$ 170,343
Defined contribution plans.....	65,401	62,602
Total Pension Expense	\$ 243,270	\$ 232,945

8. Reserves

The Environmental Protection Reserve was created to provide contingency funding to mitigate unforeseen environmental problems related to uranium milling. During the year, the Reserve was reduced by costs recorded by the Department of Industry and Resources related to the clean up and rehabilitation of abandoned northern uranium mine sites. At March 31, 2005, the balance in the reserve is \$0 (2004 - \$11.9 million).

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9. Commercial Operations

Under *The Financial Administration Act, 1993*, the Lieutenant Governor in Council may approve the use of net budgeting for commercial type activities. With this approval, revenues may be used to pay for the related costs without requiring an appropriation. The Lieutenant Governor in Council has approved net budgeting for highway's custom work activities as follows:

	(thousands of dollars)	
	Budget	Actual
Commercial Operations Revenue		
Recovery from external sources.....	\$ 6,100	
Recovery of overhead costs ¹	(475)	
Commercial Operations Revenue	\$ 7,500	5,625
Commercial Operations Expense	7,500	5,583
Net Results	\$ -	\$ 42

¹ Where a portion of revenue collected relates to the recovery of overhead costs (e.g. employee benefit costs), paid for through other departments, the revenue is included in sales, services and service fees.

10. Debt Servicing Costs

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Total interest costs	\$ 847,241	\$ 890,317
Interest reimbursed from Crown corporations and others	(277,341)	(296,506)
Net foreign exchange loss.....	1,528	3,660
Other costs	7,419	5,231
Total Debt Servicing Costs	\$ 578,847	\$ 602,702

11. Operating Expense by Function and by Object

Operating expense by function is reported as follows:

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Agriculture	\$ 392,363	\$ 333,179
Community development.....	187,947	197,952
Economic development	109,252	102,919
Education	1,272,865	1,228,316
Environment and natural resources	117,073	164,652
Health	2,773,961	2,515,823
Protection of persons and property	281,713	272,464
Social services and assistance	679,398	680,745
Transportation	294,848	326,137
Other	338,436	343,526
Total Operating Expense	\$ 6,447,856	\$ 6,165,713

Operating expense by object is reported as follows:

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Personal services	\$ 537,392	\$ 553,397
Travel.....	34,456	36,035
Transfers	5,185,792	4,763,470
Supplier payments.....	352,243	519,160
Amortization of tangible capital assets	103,411	-
Other	234,562	293,651
Total Operating Expense	\$ 6,447,856	\$ 6,165,713

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12. Contingencies

Guaranteed debt

Debt of \$55.9 million (2004 - \$113.4 million) is guaranteed by the Minister of Finance. See Schedule 9 for a list of guaranteed debt.

Lawsuits

Up to \$88.6 million may be paid, depending on the outcome of lawsuits in progress.

Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

The Government pays for certain social services provided to status Indians and submits claims to the federal government for the cost of these services. The Government believes these costs are the responsibility of the federal government and believes they are fully reimbursable. However, the federal government denies responsibility for a portion of these costs.

The Government is unable to determine whether or not the outstanding amounts will be reimbursed. The Government will account for any recovery resulting from the resolution of this contingency at the time of settlement. No provision for such a recovery has been made in these financial statements.

Crop Insurance Liability

The Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation administers the federal/provincial Crop Insurance Program. Premiums for the program are paid by the General Revenue Fund, the federal government and producers. A portion of the premiums is required to be paid to reinsurance funds established by the Province and the federal government. In certain circumstances, the reinsurance funds pay benefits to the Corporation.

In any year, where crop insurance indemnities exceed net premiums and any crop insurance fund balance, the shortfall is derived from one or both of the Crop Reinsurance Fund of Saskatchewan and the Crop Reinsurance Fund of Canada for Saskatchewan.

At March 31, 2005 the Crop Reinsurance Fund of Saskatchewan had a deficiency of \$184.2 million (2004 - \$134.2 million). Crop insurance premiums are actuarially set to cover indemnities over the long term. In the event that the deficiency in the Saskatchewan reinsurance fund cannot be recovered from future premiums, the General Revenue Fund is required to pay the deficiency.

13. Contractual Obligations

Major contractual obligations include:

- treaty land entitlement agreement valued at approximately \$21.5 million over six years; rural municipality and school division tax loss compensation of approximately \$11.1 million as land achieves reserve status over the course of the agreements;
- research and development projects for agriculture technology and opportunities in the agri-food industry, \$13.9 million over five years;
- Weyerhaeuser Canada Ltd. road maintenance and construction agreement, term indefinite, five year estimate \$16.8 million;
- capital grant projects, over the next 15 years, \$74.7 million;
- contracts for highway improvement, \$60.7 million;
- computer service agreements, \$19.5 million over three years;
- projects to expand innovation and enhance the competitive ability of the Saskatchewan economy, \$50.5 million over five years;
- Saskatchewan Association of Rehabilitation Centres, for beverage container collection and recycling, \$31.9 million over three years;
- research and development for national primary health care awareness strategy \$4.7 million; and
- Vaccine and Infectious Disease Organization, operating funding, \$7.2 million over four years.

Included are contractual obligations for agriculture \$13.9 million, education \$81.9 million, environment and natural resources \$31.9 million, health \$10.3 million, transportation \$77.6 million, economic development \$50.4 million, social services and assistance \$8.7 million and other \$37.8 million.

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14. Related Party Transactions

Included in these financial statements are transactions with various Saskatchewan Crown corporations, agencies, boards, and commissions related to the General Revenue Fund by virtue of common control by the Government of Saskatchewan.

Transactions include transfers to related parties of \$2,380.4 million (2004 - \$2,237.3 million).

Routine operating transactions with related parties are recorded at the rates charged by those organizations and are settled on normal trade terms. These transactions include:

- payments to related parties of approximately \$115.9 million (2004 - \$115.2 million) to Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation and \$15.3 million (2004 - \$15.6 million) to Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation;
- taxation and non-renewable resource revenue received from related parties during 2004-05 of approximately \$74.4 million (2004 - \$69.6 million). In addition, Saskatchewan Provincial Sales Tax and Fuel Tax are received from related parties on all taxable purchases.

Amounts due to or from related parties are described separately in these financial statements.

15. Trust Funds

Trust funds are property held and administered on behalf of beneficiaries. Trust assets are not owned by the Government and the Government has no equity in the funds. Therefore, trust funds are not included in the reporting entity.

Fund balances held and administered by the General Revenue Fund at March 31, 2005, were as follows:

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Pension plans ¹	\$ 6,391,974	\$ 6,062,152
Public Guardian and Trustee for Saskatchewan	135,541	136,396
Other trusts	20,310	20,346
Total Trust Funds	\$ 6,547,825	\$ 6,218,894

¹ The balance reflects the latest financial statements of the funds closest to March 31, 2005.

16. Comparative Figures

Certain of the 2004 figures have been reclassified to conform with the current year presentation. With regard to expenses, the figures are reported on the same basis as the Estimates for the prior year.

17. Debt Reduction Account

This account was established pursuant to *The Balanced Budget Act*. The Debt Reduction Account is an accounting of the accumulated surpluses of the General Revenue Fund commencing April 1, 1995.

	(thousands of dollars)	
	Budget	Actual
Debt reduction account, beginning of year	\$ 586,496	\$ 586,496
Reduction in accumulated deficit for the year	67	382,617
Debt Reduction Account, End of Year	\$ 586,563	\$ 969,113

18. Adjustment to Accumulated Deficit

During 2004-05, the Government adopted new standards of accounting for non-financial assets recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants. Along with this change in accounting policy, a new financial statement presentation was introduced. This new presentation introduces non-financial assets as a separate category of assets on the Statement of Financial Position. It also results in the annual surplus and accumulated deficit being calculated using the expense basis of accounting, as opposed to the expenditure basis used previously. Also introduced is a new statement, the Statement of Change in Net Debt, which reconciles the annual surplus calculated on the expense basis to the annual change in net debt. Net debt is calculated as liabilities less financial assets.

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Under the new recommendations, tangible capital assets, inventories for consumption and prepaid expenses are recorded as non-financial assets on the Statement of Financial Position and the cost of the Government's use of these assets during the year is recorded as an expense in the Statement of Operations. Prior to 2004-05, tangible capital assets and inventories for consumption were recorded as expenditures in the period acquired. The initial impact of this change in accounting policy was an increase in the opening balances of tangible capital assets of \$1,569.7 million and inventories for consumption of \$54.5 million and a corresponding decrease in the opening accumulated deficit of \$1,624.2 million. In addition, prepaid expenditures of \$2.2 million were reclassified from financial to non-financial assets. The comparative figures have not been restated. The effect of this change in accounting policy in the current year is an increase in non-financial assets of \$206.9 million and an increase in the surplus of \$54.9 million.

During 2003-04, a change was made to the accounting treatment for transfers under the Net Income Stabilization Account (NISA) resulting in a \$46.1 million reduction in agriculture expense and a corresponding increase in opening accumulated deficit.

19. Subsequent Event

On April 1, 2005, the Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation (SPMC) was wound up and its assets and liabilities were transferred to the General Revenue Fund. At the same time, a new government department, Saskatchewan Property Management, was created.

The new department will provide a full range of accommodation, commercial and custodial services to government departments, agencies and Crown corporations, similar to SPMC's responsibilities.

The financial results of the new department will be included in the financial statements of the General Revenue Fund beginning in 2005-06. The following balances were transferred to the General Revenue Fund, effective April 1, 2005:

	(thousands of dollars)
Financial assets.....	\$ 21,595
Liabilities.....	(71,283)
Non-financial assets.....	382,782
Net Assets	\$ 333,094

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For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

Schedule 1 - Accounts Receivable

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Taxation	\$ 197,676	\$ 179,967
Non-renewable resources.....	183,949	107,240
Transfers from Government entities.....	170,136	182,573
Other own-source revenue.....	56,524	58,816
Transfers from the federal government.....	43,996	50,384
Other	69,473	56,352
	721,754	635,332
Provision for loss.....	(64,274)	(59,968)
Total Accounts Receivable	\$ 657,480	\$ 575,364

Accounts receivable include \$181.5 million due from related parties (2004 - \$185.3 million).

Schedule 2 - Loans to Crown Corporations

	(thousands of dollars)		
	2005	2004	
Short-term Loans			
Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	\$ -	\$ 9,100	
Information Services Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	17,000	30,880	
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	7,148	-	
Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation.....	121,579	77,000	
Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation.....	-	26,968	
Saskatchewan Water Corporation.....	16,899	13,378	
SaskEnergy Incorporated.....	40,000	47,500	
Total Short-term Loans	202,626	204,826	
	Principal Outstanding	Sinking Fund Equity	
Long-term Loans			
Information Services Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	\$ 30,000	\$ -	30,000
Investment Saskatchewan Inc.	20,919	(5,908)	15,011
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	5,000	(53)	4,947
Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation.....	100,000	-	100,000
Saskatchewan Housing Corporation.....	83,004	(3,878)	79,126
Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation.....	-	-	125,012
Saskatchewan Power Corporation.....	2,236,451	(147,151)	2,089,300
Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation.....	-	-	4,091
Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation.....	393,574	(39,621)	353,953
Saskatchewan Water Corporation.....	43,437	(4,993)	38,444
SaskEnergy Incorporated.....	703,729	(33,772)	669,957
Total Long-term Loans	\$ 3,616,114	\$ (235,376)	3,380,738
Total Loans to Crown Corporations	\$ 3,583,364	\$ 3,407,401	

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Schedule 3 - Other Loans

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Agriculture, Food and Rural Revitalization		
Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	\$ 7,750	\$ 10,250
Short-term Hog Loans.....	\$ 12,378	\$ 14,626
Provision for Loss.....	<u>(3,419)</u>	<u>(2,273)</u>
	8,959	12,353
Industry and Resources		
Economic Development Loans.....	11,871	12,663
Provision for Loss.....	<u>(2,345)</u>	<u>(2,623)</u>
	9,526	10,040
Learning		
Saskatchewan Student Aid Fund.....	97,421	83,240
Northern Affairs		
Economic Development Loans.....	5,218	7,420
Provision for Loss.....	<u>(2,053)</u>	<u>(3,797)</u>
	3,165	3,623
Other.....	2,090	1,972
Total Other Loans	\$ 128,911	\$ 121,478

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Schedule 4 - Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Personal services.....	\$ 36,733	\$ 39,029
Travel.....	2,020	3,539
Transfers.....	186,373	217,708
Supplier payments.....	56,857	67,792
Accrued interest	155,729	167,297
Transfers to the federal government.....	124,850	120,557
Equalization and Canada Health and Social Transfer repayable to the federal government.....	631,894	278,652
Tangible capital assets.....	18,992	-
Other.....	87,191	89,218
Total Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	\$ 1,300,639	\$ 983,792

Total includes \$65.9 million payable to related parties (2004 - \$107.0 million) and \$770.4 million payable to the federal government (2004 - \$406.2 million).

Schedule 5 - Deposits Held

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Deposits held on behalf of Government entities and others		
Agri-Food Innovation Fund.....	\$ 3,148	\$ 3,986
Cattle Marketing Deductions Fund.....	5,752	4,519
Extended Health Care Plans.....	6,139	8,477
Fiscal Stabilization Fund.....	748,500	366,000
Liquor and Gaming Authority.....	44,196	39,181
New Crops Insurance Program.....	6,340	8,903
Public Employees Dental Fund	3,281	11,382
Queen's Bench Court Accounts.....	9,140	10,559
Saskatchewan Agricultural Stabilization Fund.....	19,799	13,097
Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation.....	5,825	15,137
Saskatchewan Health Information Network.....	18,607	2,960
Saskatchewan Student Aid Fund	53,942	40,225
School Division Tax Loss Compensation Fund.....	4,971	6,130
Teachers' Superannuation Commission.....	4,701	3,973
Transportation Partnership Fund.....	3,909	4,160
Other.....	28,813	24,795
Conditional Receipts.....	14,552	7,314
Total Deposits Held	\$ 981,615	\$ 570,798

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Schedule 6 - Debt

	2005			(thousands of dollars)	
	Promissory Notes	Debentures	Sinking Funds ²	Debt	2004 Debt
Crown Corporation Purposes					
Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	9,100
Information Services Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	17,000	30,000	-	47,000	60,880
Investment Saskatchewan Inc.	-	20,919	(5,908)	15,011	15,244
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	7,148	5,000	(53)	12,095	14,391
Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation.....	121,579	100,000	-	221,579	177,000
Saskatchewan Housing Corporation.....	-	83,004	(3,878)	79,126	79,949
Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation ¹	-	-	-	-	151,980
Saskatchewan Power Corporation.....	-	2,236,451	(147,151)	2,089,300	1,965,397
Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation.....	-	-	-	-	4,091
Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation.....	-	393,574	(39,621)	353,953	376,386
Saskatchewan Water Corporation.....	16,899	43,437	(4,993)	55,343	53,232
SaskEnergy Incorporated.....	40,000	703,729	(33,772)	709,957	704,577
Total Crown Corporation Purposes	202,626	3,616,114	(235,376)	3,583,364	3,612,227
General Government Purposes					
	74	8,254,082	(708,582)	7,545,574	8,031,637
Debt³	\$ 202,700	\$ 11,870,196	\$ (943,958)	\$ 11,128,938	\$ 11,643,864

Debt repayable in foreign currency has been restated in Canadian dollar equivalents.

¹ Debt issued for Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation of \$157.0 million was transferred to General Government Purposes effective April 1, 2004.

² See Schedule 7 for information on sinking funds.

³ See Schedule 8 for information on debt by maturity.

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Schedule 7 - Sinking Funds

	(thousands of dollars)						
	2004	Sinking Funds	Contributions	Earnings	Redemptions	Currency Adjustment	Sinking Funds
Crown Corporation Purposes							
Investment Saskatchewan Inc.....	\$ 5,675	\$ -	\$ 233	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,908
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	-	50	3	-	-	-	53
Saskatchewan Housing Corporation.....	3,055	585	238	-	-	-	3,878
Saskatchewan Power Corporation.....	128,395	16,641	7,928	-	(5,813)	-	147,151
Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation.....	1,409	674	93	(2,176)	-	-	-
Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation.....	36,135	2,916	3,265	-	(2,695)	-	39,621
Saskatchewan Water Corporation.....	4,347	323	323	-	-	-	4,993
SaskEnergy Incorporated.....	27,110	4,540	2,122	-	-	-	33,772
Total Crown Corporation Purposes	206,126	25,729	14,205	(2,176)	(8,508)	-	235,376
General Government Purposes¹	741,410	65,544	43,031	(120,577)	(20,826)	-	708,582
Total Sinking Funds	\$ 947,536	\$ 91,273	\$ 57,236	\$ (122,753)	\$ (29,334)	\$ -	\$ 943,958

¹ Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation sinking fund of \$5.0 million was transferred to the General Revenue Fund effective April 1, 2004.

The market value of sinking funds at March 31, 2005 is \$989.3 million (2004 - \$1,010.8 million).

Sinking fund earnings include gains on investment sales of \$8.1 million (2004 - \$12.5 million).

Annual contributions, when established by Order in Council, are set at not less than one per cent of debentures outstanding. The redemption value is based on the market value of the sinking fund units at the date of redemption.

The aggregate amount of contributions estimated to be required in each of the next five fiscal years to meet sinking fund requirements are:

	(thousands of dollars)					
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	Total
Contributions - Canadian dollar debt.....	\$ 78,834	\$ 75,834	\$ 73,834	\$ 73,534	\$ 68,660	\$ 370,696
Contributions - U.S. dollar debt (CDN \$).....	10,209	10,209	10,209	7,862	7,862	46,351
Total Contributions	89,043	86,043	84,043	81,396	76,522	417,047
Recoverable from Crown corporations.....	(28,612)	(27,794)	(27,794)	(25,147)	(24,832)	(134,179)
General Government Purposes	\$ 60,431	\$ 58,249	\$ 56,249	\$ 56,249	\$ 51,690	\$ 282,868

Sinking Fund assets have been invested as follows:

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Long-term Investments in securities of:		
Government of Saskatchewan, coupon interest range, 4.9% to 10.3%; maturing in 3.0 to 31.9 years	\$ 385,146	\$ 323,003
Government of Canada, coupon interest range 4.5% to 8.0%; maturing in 6.2 to 28.2 years	121,356	36,643
Other provincial governments, coupon interest range, 4.5% to 9.6%; maturing in 6.8 to 34.3 years	349,225	397,949
Government of the United States, coupon interest 5.4%; maturing in 25.9 years	4,027	54,996
Cash, short term investments and accrued interest	84,204	134,945
Total Sinking Funds	\$ 943,958	\$ 947,536

Cash, short term investments and accrued interest include \$0 (2004 - \$16.0 million) Province of Saskatchewan securities and are disclosed net of \$5.2 million (2004 - \$1.6 million) in liabilities.

Included in total sinking funds are U.S. dollar cash, investments and accrued interest converted to \$331.8 million Canadian (2004 - \$359.8 million) at the exchange rate in effect at March 31, 2005, 1.2096 (2004 - 1.3105).

General Revenue Fund

Schedules to the Financial Statements

Schedule 8 - Debt by Maturity

Year of Maturity	2005					(thousands of dollars)	
	Canadian Dollar Debt		U. S. Dollar Debt (CDN \$)		Average Coupon Rate	2004	
						Total (CDN \$)	Average Coupon Rate
Short-term promissory notes	\$ 202,700	\$ -	\$ 202,700	2.43%	\$ 235,000	2.07%	
2004-05.....	-	-	-	-	1,313,976	8.99%	
2005-06.....	1,002,134	-	1,002,134	6.82%	1,004,556	6.82%	
2006-07.....	1,244,405	-	1,244,405	6.22%	1,245,223	6.22%	
2007-08.....	618,272	234,662	852,934	6.34%	874,662	6.36%	
2008-09.....	711,058	-	711,058	5.57%	729,227	5.51%	
2009-10.....	951,949	-	951,949	7.79%	-	-	
1 - 5 years	4,730,518	234,662	4,965,180		5,402,644		
6-10 years.....	3,336,384	151,200	3,487,584	7.15%	3,517,813	7.05%	
11-15 years.....	82,995	-	82,995	5.98%	589,284	10.23%	
16-20 years.....	752,097	635,040	1,387,137	8.80%	1,506,659	8.71%	
21-25 years.....	550,000	-	550,000	6.73%	525,000	6.75%	
26-30 years.....	1,000,000	-	1,000,000	6.13%	1,000,000	6.13%	
More than 30 years	600,000	-	600,000	5.46%	50,000	5.70%	
	11,051,994	1,020,902	12,072,896		12,591,400		
Sinking funds	(612,181)	(331,777)	(943,958)		(947,536)		
Debt	\$ 10,439,813	\$ 689,125	\$ 11,128,938		\$ 11,643,864		

General Revenue Fund Schedules to the Financial Statements

Schedule 8 (continued) - Debt by Maturity

The average effective interest rate on debt during 2004-05 was 7.08% (2004 - 7.30%), and includes the impact of foreign exchange and the amortization of any premiums and discounts associated with the debentures.

The average term to maturity of debt outstanding at March 31, 2005 is 10.0 years (2004 - 9.0 years).

Debt includes Canada Pension Plan debentures of \$977.3 million (2004 - \$1,081.6 million). These debentures are callable in whole or in part before maturity, on 30 days prior notice, at the option of the Minister of Finance of Saskatchewan. Total debt includes debentures of \$470.5 million (2004 - \$440.0 million) that provide the holder with a choice of dates on which the debt matures. The year of maturity in the above table reflects the earliest possible date of maturity rather than maximum term to maturity.

Sensitivity of Debt and Debt Servicing Costs

U.S. dollar debentures have been converted to Canadian dollars at the exchange rate in effect at March 31, 2005 of 1.2096 (2004 - 1.3105, except for 194.0 million U.S. dollars converted at the cross currency swaption rate of 1.3690).

A one cent change in the value of the U.S. dollar compared to the Canadian dollar from the March 31, 2005 level would change debt charges by \$0.5 million in 2005-06 and debt by \$8.4 million.

Debt includes floating rate debt of \$1,438.7 million (2004 - \$2,262.2 million). Floating rate debt is defined as the sum of floating rate debentures, short-term promissory notes, fixed rate debt maturing within one year and Saskatchewan Savings Bonds. A one percentage point increase in interest rates would increase debt servicing costs by \$9.8 million in 2005-06.

Derivative Financial Instruments

Cross Currency Swaps

The following foreign denominated items have been hedged to Canadian dollars using cross currency swaps:

- debentures totalling 5.0 billion yen (2004 - 10.0 billion) fully hedged to \$63.7 million Canadian (2004 - \$130.8 million);
- debentures totalling 850.0 million U.S. dollars (2004 - 781.0 million) fully hedged to \$1,137.0 million Canadian (2004 - \$1,089.0 million); and
- interest payments on debentures of 275.0 million U.S. dollars (2004 - 50.0 million) hedged to Canadian at an exchange rate of 1.2325.

In total, cross currency swaps on a notional value of \$1,603.3 million of debt (2004 - \$1,415.7 million) existed at March 31, 2005. The effectiveness of these hedges is assessed on an ongoing basis by monitoring the credit ratings of the counterparties to the hedges.

Interest Rate Swaps

Interest rate swaps on a notional value of \$356.0 million of debt (2004 - \$843.1 million) existed at March 31, 2005.

General Revenue Fund Schedules to the Financial Statements

Schedule 9 - Guaranteed Debt

	(thousands of dollars)		
	2005	2004	
Crown Corporations			
The Power Corporation Act			
Scotiabank	\$ -	\$ 4,713	
Saskatchewan Power savings bonds			
Series I - series VII (matured).....	25	46	
The Saskatchewan Development Fund Act			
Guaranteed investments.....	848	880	
The Saskatchewan Telecommunications Act			
Telebonds - series I (matured).....	153	154	
Total Crown Corporations	1,026	5,793	
Other			
The Farm Financial Stability Act			
Breeder associations loan guarantees.....	17,899	17,901	
Feeder associations loan guarantees.....	7,789	11,219	
Agricultural Income Disaster Assistance Program.....	13	24	
The Housing and Special-care Homes Act			
Senior citizens' housing.....	38	57	
The Student Assistance and Student Aid Fund Act.....	98	151	
The Industry and Commerce Development Act			
Saskferco Products Inc.	-	36,088	
The NewGrade Energy Inc. Act			
NewGrade Energy Inc.	29,133	42,175	
Total Other	54,970	107,615	
Total Guaranteed Debt	\$ 55,996	\$ 113,408	

In addition to the amount shown, there is a contingent liability for interest accrued on certain of these items.

Total guaranteed debt is net of a loss provision of \$1.4 million (2004 - \$1.5 million).

Scotiabank

The government was contingently liable for payments on certain leased mining equipment, which was assumed by the purchaser of a mining operation. The lease expired in 2004.

Breeder and Feeder Associations

The Government provides guarantees to lenders who make loans to production associations. The Government guarantees repayment of 25 per cent of the outstanding loan balance at the time of a first default on any advance, plus accrued interest as of the time that payment is to be made on the guarantee. Guarantees for each cattle association are limited to \$6 million for the breeder or feeder option. Guarantees for each bison association are limited to \$5 million for the feeder option. Guarantees for each sheep association are limited to \$4 million for the breeder or feeder option.

Saskferco Products Inc.

The Government has guaranteed certain medium term notes issued by Saskferco to finance the construction of a nitrogen based fertilizer plant located near Belle Plaine. The debt is denominated in U.S. dollars. Thus, the amount of the guarantee is influenced by changes in the value of the U.S. dollar relative to the Canadian dollar. At March 31, 2005, the debt of \$78.6 million Canadian was fully offset by Saskferco Products Inc.'s equity in a sinking fund.

NewGrade Energy Inc. (NewGrade)

The Government has guaranteed certain long-term debt of NewGrade to a maximum of \$360 million. A significant portion of this guarantee relates to U.S. dollar denominated debt. Thus, the amount of the guarantee is influenced by changes in the value of the U.S. dollar relative to the Canadian dollar.

General Revenue Fund

Schedules to the Financial Statements

Schedule 10 - Revenue

			(thousands of dollars)	
	Budget	Actual	2005	2004
Taxation				
Corporation capital.....	\$ 357,300	\$ 381,289	\$ 371,479	
Corporation income.....	249,800	257,679	310,573	
Fuel.....	363,100	361,039	356,773	
Individual income.....	1,292,200	1,329,081	1,245,763	
Sales.....	1,016,700	985,079	854,480	
Tobacco.....	184,200	187,029	176,747	
Other.....	80,600	88,019	81,881	
Total Taxes	3,543,900	3,589,215	3,397,696	
Non-renewable Resources				
Natural gas.....	138,400	212,440	210,455	
Oil.....	400,800	906,938	774,488	
Potash.....	125,200	305,494	120,179	
Other.....	43,000	49,319	35,840	
Total Non-renewable Resources	707,400	1,474,191	1,140,962	
Transfers from Government Entities				
Crown Investments Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	250,000	268,000	200,000	
Liquor and Gaming Authority	365,400	361,044	360,766	
Other enterprises and funds.....	48,700	55,420	53,484	
Total Transfers from Government Entities	664,100	684,464	614,250	
Other Own-source Revenue				
Fines, forfeits, and penalties.....	11,700	10,276	10,534	
Interest, premium, discount, and exchange.....	47,600	54,735	61,228	
Motor vehicle fees.....	127,100	121,549	119,412	
Other licences and permits.....	44,800	54,154	46,426	
Sales, services, and service fees.....	84,500	84,548	91,960	
Transfers from other governments.....	15,700	16,668	19,294	
Commercial operations (note 9).....	-	5,625	-	
Other.....	18,000	30,096	23,684	
Total Other Own-source Revenue	349,400	377,651	372,538	
Total Own-source Revenue	5,264,800	6,125,521	5,525,446	
Transfers from the Federal Government				
Canada Health and Social Transfer.....	-	-	750,558	
Canada Health Transfer.....	419,400	452,396	-	
Canada Social Transfer.....	259,300	262,742	-	
Health Reform Fund	46,700	46,732	-	
Equalization	442,500	581,570	41,284	
Other.....	157,800	322,859	241,110	
Total Transfers from the Federal Government	1,325,700	1,666,299	1,032,952	
Total Revenue	\$ 6,590,500	\$ 7,791,820	\$ 6,558,398	

General Revenue Fund

Schedules to the Financial Statements

Schedule 11 - Non-cash Items Included in Surplus

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Amortization of foreign exchange loss.....	\$ 1,528	\$ 3,660
Amortization of tangible capital assets (note 5).....	103,411	-
Net loss on disposal of tangible capital assets	143	-
Loss on loans and investments.....	2,366	79,785
Earnings retained in sinking funds.....	(43,031)	(46,868)
Gain on transfer of tangible capital assets.....	(5,879)	-
Total Non-cash Items Included in Surplus	\$ 58,538	\$ 36,577

Schedule 12 - Net Change in Non-cash Operating Activities

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Increase in accounts receivable.....	(82,116)	(44,090)
Increase in deferred charges.....	(5,428)	(1,567)
Increase in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.....	316,847	150,467
Increase (decrease) in unearned revenue.....	4,978	(1,781)
Decrease prepaid expenses	108	1,036
Increase in inventories for consumption	(2,964)	-
Net Change in Non-cash Operating Activities	\$ 231,425	\$ 104,065

General Revenue Fund

Schedules to the Financial Statements

Schedule 13 - Investing Activities

	2005		2004		(thousands of dollars)
	Receipts	Disbursements	Receipts	Disbursements	
Loans					
Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	\$ 9,100	\$ -	\$ 14,517	\$ -	-
Education Infrastructure Financing Corporation	-	-	-	-	39,674
Information Services Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	13,880	-	3,726	-	-
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	9,391	7,148	3,407	5,000	
Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation.....	-	44,579	-	-	64,000
Saskatchewan Housing Corporation.....	-	-	16,951	-	-
Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation.....	-	-	-	-	11,168
Saskatchewan Power Corporation.....	149,929	350,000	140,935	300,000	
Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation.....	5,500	-	-	-	-
Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation.....	14,497	-	22,641	-	-
Saskatchewan Water Corporation.....	764	3,521	714	-	5,027
SaskEnergy Incorporated.....	37,958	50,000	30,799	-	-
Other.....	60,810	70,412	73,279	-	74,766
Total Loan Receipts and Disbursements	301,829	525,660	306,969	499,635	
Sinking Funds					
Contributions.....	25,729	91,273	24,608	83,424	
Debt redemption funded from sinking funds.....	120,577	-	30,234	-	-
Total Sinking Fund Receipts and Disbursements	146,306	91,273	54,842	83,424	
Other					
Total Receipts and Disbursements	449,578	\$ 616,996	\$ 363,446	\$ 583,066	
Net Disbursements	\$ (167,418)		\$ (219,620)		

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**Fiscal Stabilization Fund
(unaudited)**

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Fiscal Stabilization Fund

Schedule of Transfers and Accumulated Balance

For the Year Ended March 31, 2005
(unaudited)

	Budget 2005	Actual 2005	(thousands of dollars) Actual 2004
Balance, beginning of year.....	\$ 366,000	\$ 366,000	\$ 577,000
Transfer from (to) the General Revenue Fund.....	(171,100)	382,500	(211,000)
Balance, End of Year	\$ 194,900	\$ 748,500	\$ 366,000

The Fiscal Stabilization Fund (Fund) was established April 1, 2000, by *The Fiscal Stabilization Fund Act*. Its purpose is to stabilize the fiscal position of the Government to facilitate long-term planning.

Stabilization occurs through transfers between the Fund and the General Revenue Fund (GRF), as approved from time to time by Treasury Board.

Transfers to the Fund from the GRF are statutory disbursements.

Amounts transferred to the GRF from the Fund are available for expenses subsequent to receiving required approval from the Legislative Assembly.

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Summary Financial Statements

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Government of Saskatchewan

Responsibility for Summary Financial Statements

The Government is responsible for the Summary Financial Statements. The Government maintains a system of accounting and administrative controls to ensure that accurate and reliable financial statements are prepared and to obtain reasonable assurance that transactions are authorized, assets are safeguarded, and financial records are maintained.

The Provincial Comptroller prepares these statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for senior governments, using the Government's best estimates and judgment when appropriate. He uses information from the accounts of the General Revenue Fund, Crown corporations and other government organizations to prepare these statements.

The Provincial Auditor expresses an independent opinion on these statements. His report, which appears on the following page, provides the scope of his audit and states his opinion.

Treasury Board approves the Summary Financial Statements. The statements are tabled in the Legislative Assembly as part of the Public Accounts and referred to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts for review.

On behalf of the Government of the Province of Saskatchewan.



Harry Van Mulligen
Minister of Finance



Ron Styles
Deputy Minister of Finance



Terry Paton
Provincial Comptroller

Regina, Saskatchewan
June 2005

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Auditor's Report

To the Members of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

I have audited the summary statement of financial position of the Government of Saskatchewan as at March 31, 2005 and the summary statements of operations, accumulated deficit, change in net debt and cash flow for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of Treasury Board. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In my opinion, these summary financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Government of Saskatchewan as at March 31, 2005 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for governments.



Regina, Saskatchewan
June 8, 2005

Fred Wendel, CMA, CA
Provincial Auditor

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Government of Saskatchewan

Summary Statement of Financial Position

As at March 31, 2005

		(thousands of dollars)	
		2005	2004
Schedule			(Restated)
Financial Assets			
1	Cash and temporary investments (note 2).....	\$ 1,330,040	\$ 842,334
1	Accounts receivable.....	832,648	758,857
	Inventories held for resale.....	15,799	2,173
	Land held for resale (note 3).....	115,725	117,014
	Deferred charges.....	65,607	61,502
2	Loans and mortgages receivable.....	142,949	147,491
3	Investment in government business enterprises.....	2,713,990	2,425,625
4	Other investments.....	682,194	823,115
Total Financial Assets		5,898,952	5,178,111
Liabilities			
5	Accounts payable and accrued liabilities.....	1,708,845	1,371,418
6	Other liabilities.....	185,419	180,983
7	Unearned revenue.....	224,493	216,966
8,9&10	Public debt (note 6).....	\$ 8,103,760	\$ 8,723,735
	Unamortized foreign exchange loss.....	(21,136)	(50,030)
	Pension liabilities (note 7).....	8,082,624	8,673,705
		4,185,062	4,052,656
Total Liabilities		14,386,443	14,495,728
Net Debt		(8,487,491)	(9,317,617)
Non-financial Assets			
	Prepaid expenses.....	27,673	21,585
	Inventories for consumption.....	85,861	78,519
	Tangible capital assets (note 4).....	3,941,915	3,850,703
Total Non-financial Assets		4,055,449	3,950,807
Accumulated Deficit		\$ (4,432,042)	\$ (5,366,810)

(See accompanying notes)

Contingencies and contractual obligations (notes 12 and 13)
 11 Guaranteed debt (note 12)

Government of Saskatchewan Summary Statement of Operations

For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

		(thousands of dollars)	
		2005	2004
Schedule			(Restated)
Revenue			
12 Taxation.....	\$ 3,590,352	\$ 3,398,834	
12 Non-renewable resources.....	1,474,191	1,140,962	
12 Other own-source revenue.....	1,317,272	1,120,898	
12 Transfers from the federal government.....	1,995,201	1,290,437	
Total Revenue	8,377,016	6,951,131	
Expense			
Agriculture.....	780,396	701,550	
Community development.....	230,608	240,298	
Debt charges (note 9).....	903,055	927,833	
Economic development.....	277,202	137,585	
Education.....	1,207,844	1,061,836	
Environment and natural resources	153,901	186,050	
Health.....	2,943,438	2,744,697	
Protection of persons and property.....	319,401	316,862	
Social services and assistance.....	821,357	792,038	
Transportation.....	317,014	291,347	
Other.....	421,744	384,561	
Total Expense (note 10)	8,375,960	7,784,657	
Surplus (deficit) from government service organizations.....	1,056	(833,526)	
3 Income from government business enterprises.....	843,285	734,016	
Surplus (Deficit)	\$ 844,341	\$ (99,510)	

(See accompanying notes)

Government of Saskatchewan
Summary Statement of Accumulated Deficit
For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

Schedule	Estimated 2005	(thousands of dollars)		
		Actual 2005	Actual 2004	(Restated)
Accumulated deficit, beginning of year, as restated (note 16).....	\$ (5,366,810)	\$ (5,366,810)	\$ (5,402,000)	
Adjustment to accumulated deficit (note 17).....	-	30,119	134,700	
Surplus (deficit).....	(296,800)	844,341	(99,510)	
3 Unrealized gains and losses of government business enterprises.....	-	60,308	-	
Accumulated Deficit, End of Year (note 8)	\$ (5,663,610)	\$ (4,432,042)	\$ (5,366,810)	

(See accompanying notes)

Government of Saskatchewan
Summary Statement of Change in Net Debt

For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

	Estimated 2005	(thousands of dollars)		
		Actual 2005	Actual 2004	(Restated)
Surplus (Deficit)	\$ (296,800)	\$ 844,341	\$ (99,510)	
Tangible Capital Assets				
Acquisitions (note 4).....	(289,200)	(295,736)	(309,775)	
Amortization (note 4).....	260,900	275,507	252,914	
Net loss on sale.....	-	3,878	247	
Proceeds on sale.....	-	7,608	7,274	
Increase in tangible capital assets, beginning of year (note 16).....	-	(82,469)	-	
Net Acquisition of Tangible Capital Assets	(28,300)	(91,212)	(49,340)	
Other Non-financial Assets				
Net acquisition of prepaid expenses.....	-	(6,088)	(120)	
Net (acquisition) use of inventories for consumption.....	-	(7,342)	2,005	
Net (Acquisition) Use of Other Non-financial Assets	-	(13,430)	1,885	
Increase (decrease) in net debt	(325,100)	739,699	(146,965)	
Net debt, beginning of year.....	(9,317,617)	(9,317,617)	(9,305,352)	
Adjustment to accumulated deficit (note 17).....	-	30,119	134,700	
3 Unrealized gains and losses of government business enterprises.....	-	60,308	-	
Net Debt, End of Year	\$ (9,642,717)	\$ (8,487,491)	\$ (9,317,617)	

(See accompanying notes)

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Summary Statement of Cash Flow

For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

		(thousands of dollars)	
		2005	2004
Schedule		(Restated)	
Operating Activities			
Surplus (deficit).....		\$ 844,341	\$ (99,510)
Add (deduct) non-cash items			
3 Income from government business enterprises.....		(843,285)	(734,016)
14 Other non-cash items included in surplus (deficit).....		168,800	213,836
15 Net change in non-cash operating activities.....		240,002	81,634
Dividends received from other investments.....		63,878	9,736
3 Dividends received from government business enterprises.....		645,347	682,757
Adjustment to accumulated deficit (note 17).....		-	(46,087)
Cash Provided by Operating Activities		1,119,083	108,350
Capital Activities			
Acquisition of tangible capital assets (note 4).....		(295,736)	(309,775)
Proceeds on sale of tangible capital assets.....		7,608	7,274
Increase in tangible capital assets, beginning of year (note 16).....		(82,469)	-
Cash Used for Capital Activities		(370,597)	(302,501)
Investing Activities			
Disposal of land held for resale		1,289	2,152
2 Net decrease (increase) in loans and mortgages receivable.....		2,616	(33,363)
Acquisition of other investments.....		(23,989)	(102,087)
Disposition of other investments.....		111,111	112,655
Decrease in other investments, beginning of year (note 16).....		60,042	-
Cash Provided by (Used for) Investing Activities		151,069	(20,643)
Financing Activities			
Proceeds from public debt.....		522,021	769,838
Repayment of public debt.....		(1,103,165)	(420,752)
Increase in public debt, beginning of year (note 16).....		32,453	-
Increase in other liabilities.....		4,436	26,559
Increase in pension liabilities.....		132,406	76,491
Cash (Used for) Provided by Financing Activities		(411,849)	452,136
Increase in cash and temporary investments		487,706	237,342
Cash and temporary investments, beginning of year.....		842,334	604,992
Cash and Temporary Investments, End of Year		\$ 1,330,040	\$ 842,334

(See accompanying notes)

Government of Saskatchewan

Notes to the Summary Financial Statements

For the year ended March 31, 2005

1. Significant Accounting Policies

These Summary financial statements are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for senior governments, as recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants. The significant accounting policies are summarized below.

a) Government reporting entity

The government reporting entity consists of organizations controlled by the Government. These government entities are segregated into two classifications. Entities that are self-sufficient and have the financial and operating authority to sell goods and services to individuals and organizations outside the government reporting entity as their principal activity are classified as government business enterprises. All other government entities are government service organizations.

A listing of the organizations included in the government reporting entity is provided in schedule 16. Unless otherwise noted, the financial activities of all subsidiaries of these organizations have also been included.

Trusts administered by the Government are excluded from the reporting entity.

b) Government partnerships

The Government has entered into various partnerships where there is a contractual arrangement between the Government and one or more partners outside the government reporting entity and where these partners share, on an equitable basis, the significant risks and benefits associated with operating the partnership. Government business partnerships are government partnerships that are self-sufficient and have the financial and operating authority to sell goods and services to individuals and organizations outside the government reporting entity as their principal activity.

c) Method of consolidation

Government service organizations are consolidated after adjustment to a basis consistent with the accounting policies described in note 1(d). Significant inter-organization balances and transactions are eliminated.

Government business enterprises are accounted for by the modified equity method. Using this method, the Government's investment in government business enterprises, which is initially recorded at cost, is adjusted annually to include the net earnings or losses and certain other net equity changes of the enterprise without adjustment to conform with the accounting policies described in note 1(d). With the exception of dividends declared by March 31, inter-organization balances and transactions are not eliminated.

Government partnerships, except those designated as government business partnerships, are proportionately consolidated, as disclosed in note 14. Significant inter-organization balances and transactions are eliminated.

Government business partnerships are accounted for by the modified equity method.

Financial results of government organizations whose fiscal year-ends are other than March 31 are adjusted for transactions having a significant impact on these financial statements.

d) Basis of accounting

Revenue

Revenues are recorded on the accrual basis except for receipts from the federal government for corporate and personal income taxes, which are recorded on the cash basis. Government transfers are recognized as revenue in the period during which the transfer is authorized and any eligibility criteria are met.

Expense

Expenses are recorded on the accrual basis. Government transfers are recognized as expenses in the period during which the transfer is authorized and any eligibility criteria are met.

Assets

Financial assets are assets that could be used to discharge existing liabilities or finance future operations and are not for consumption in the normal course of operations.

Temporary investments are recorded at cost which approximates market value.

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Inventories held for resale are recorded at the lower of cost and net realizable value.

Land held for resale is valued at the lower of cost or net realizable value, on an aggregate basis.

Deferred charges include issue costs and net discounts or premiums incurred on the issue of public debt. They are recorded at cost and amortized on a straight-line basis over the remaining life of the debt issue.

Loans and mortgages receivable are initially recorded at cost. Where there has been a loss in value that is other than a temporary decline, the loan or mortgage is written down to recognize the loss. Interest is recognized on the accrual basis except where collection is uncertain. Interest is then recorded on the cash basis.

Other investments consist of: equity investments; portfolio investments; bonds, debentures and other advances; and property holdings. These investments are accounted for by various methods as described below and are written down to their fair value when there is evidence of a permanent decline in value.

Equity investments exist when the Government holds shares of private or public companies and exercises significant influence but has less than a controlling interest or when the Government has shared control, as in government business partnerships. These investments are accounted for by the modified equity method. Using this method, the Government's investment, which is initially recorded at cost, is adjusted annually for the Government's share of the investee's net earnings or losses and is reduced by dividends and partnership distributions received from these investments.

Portfolio investments exist when the Government holds shares of private or public companies and does not exercise significant influence. Portfolio investments are recorded at cost, and dividends from these shares are recorded as income when receivable.

Bonds, debentures and other advances and Property holdings are recorded at amortized cost.

Non-financial assets are acquired, constructed or developed assets that do not normally provide resources to discharge existing liabilities, but instead are normally employed to deliver government services, may be consumed in the normal course of operations and are not for sale in the normal course of operations.

Inventories for consumption are recorded at cost and are expensed as they are consumed.

Tangible capital assets held by government service organizations are recorded at cost and include all amounts directly attributable to the acquisition, construction, development or betterment of the asset. Tangible capital assets are generally amortized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of each asset.

Liabilities

Liabilities are present obligations to individuals and organizations outside the government reporting entity as a result of transactions and events occurring prior to year-end, which will be satisfied in the future through the transfer or use of assets or another form of economic settlement. They consist of obligations to provide authorized transfers where any eligibility criteria have been met, to repay borrowings, to pay for goods and services acquired prior to year-end and to deliver goods or services in the future where payment has been received.

Unearned revenue is revenue that will be earned in a subsequent fiscal year and includes restricted funding from the federal government and other organizations.

Public debt consists of debt of government service organizations recorded net of amounts issued on behalf of and reimbursable from government business enterprises. Total public debt, as disclosed in schedules 8 and 10, includes public debt and the debt of government business enterprises.

Public debt is recorded at par. Premiums, discounts and issue costs are recorded as deferred charges and are amortized on a straight-line basis over the remaining life of the debt issue.

Certain debenture issues require contributions to a sinking fund. These obligations are recorded at principal less sinking fund balances where applicable. Premiums and discounts on long-term investments within these sinking funds are amortized on a constant yield basis.

Debt issues and sinking fund investments held in foreign currencies are converted to the Canadian dollar equivalent at the exchange rate in effect at March 31.

Unamortized foreign exchange loss includes unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the conversion of debentures due and sinking funds held in a foreign currency to the Canadian dollar equivalent at the exchange rate in effect at March 31. Unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses are amortized on a straight-line basis over the remaining life of the debt issue. Realized foreign exchange gains and losses are included in the surplus or deficit.

Pension liabilities are calculated using the projected benefit method prorated on services. Pension fund assets are valued at market related values. Changes in the pension liabilities as a result of estimation adjustments due to experience gains and losses and

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changes in actuarial assumptions are amortized on a straight-line basis over the expected average remaining service life of the related employee group. Gains or losses as a result of plan amendments are recognized in the period of the plan amendment.

Guaranteed debt includes guarantees of the Government made through specific agreements or legislation to repay promissory notes, bank loans, lines of credit, mortgages and other securities. Loss provisions on guaranteed debt are recorded when it is likely that a loss will occur. The amount of the loss provision represents the Government's best estimate of future payments net of recoveries. The loss provision is recorded as a liability and an expense in the year determined and is adjusted as necessary to ensure it equals the expected payout of the guarantee.

2. Cash and Temporary Investments

Temporary investments are generally for less than three months and have an average effective interest rate of 2.53 per cent.

3. Land Held for Resale

The estimated net realizable value of the Government's land held for resale at March 31, 2005 is \$214.1 million (2004 - \$214.1 million).

4. Tangible Capital Assets

The Government has a significant investment in tangible capital assets that have a useful life of greater than one year. These assets are a key component in the delivery of government programs and provide ongoing value to the public.

The following table discloses the tangible capital assets held by government service organizations and does not include works of art and historical treasures, such as the Legislative Building. Intangible assets held by government service organizations and items inherited by right of the Crown, such as Crown lands, forests, water and mineral resources, are not recognized in these financial statements. The capital assets held by government business enterprises, as disclosed in schedule 3, are not included in the following table.

								(thousands of dollars)		
			2005						2004	
	Land & Improvements	Buildings & Improvements	Machinery & Equipment	Trans- portation Equipment	Office & Information Technology	Infra- structure	Total	Total (Restated)		
<i>Estimated useful life</i>										
<i>5 years-Indefinite</i>	<i>3-50 years</i>	<i>2-33 years</i>	<i>3-40 years</i>	<i>2-20 years</i>	<i>3-60 years</i>					
<i>Opening Net Book Value of Tangible Capital Assets</i>	\$ 189,814	\$ 1,486,229	\$ 194,753	\$ 75,563	\$ 124,434	\$ 1,779,910	\$ 3,850,703	\$ 3,775,394		
Opening cost.....	\$ 202,841	\$ 2,450,454	\$ 763,417	\$ 156,773	\$ 289,706	\$ 3,227,899	\$ 7,091,090	\$ 6,857,367		
Adjustment to opening cost (note 16).....	629	29,401	130,176	-	-	-	160,206	-		
Acquisitions.....	3,862	71,875	39,768	20,585	34,177	125,469	295,736	309,775		
Write-downs.....	-	-	(937)	-	-	-	(937)	(509)		
Disposals.....	(1,516)	(22,168)	(8,560)	(7,453)	(8,634)	(41,241)	(89,572)	(75,543)		
<i>Closing cost¹</i>	<i>205,816</i>	<i>2,529,562</i>	<i>923,864</i>	<i>169,905</i>	<i>315,249</i>	<i>3,312,127</i>	<i>7,456,523</i>	<i>7,091,090</i>		
Opening accumulated amortization.....	13,027	964,225	568,664	81,210	165,272	1,447,989	3,240,387	3,056,004		
Adjustment to opening accumulated amortization (note 16).....	-	9,699	68,038	-	-	-	77,737	-		
Annual amortization.....	1,657	95,967	43,377	8,387	33,716	92,403	275,507	252,914		
Write-downs.....	-	-	(936)	-	-	-	(936)	(509)		
Disposals.....	(160)	(15,614)	(7,541)	(5,106)	(8,436)	(41,230)	(78,087)	(68,022)		
<i>Closing accumulated amortization</i>	<i>14,524</i>	<i>1,054,277</i>	<i>671,602</i>	<i>84,491</i>	<i>190,552</i>	<i>1,499,162</i>	<i>3,514,608</i>	<i>3,240,387</i>		
<i>Closing Net Book Value of Tangible Capital Assets</i>	<i>\$ 191,292</i>	<i>\$ 1,475,285</i>	<i>\$ 252,262</i>	<i>\$ 85,414</i>	<i>\$ 124,697</i>	<i>\$ 1,812,965</i>	<i>\$ 3,941,915</i>	<i>\$ 3,850,703</i>		

¹ Closing cost includes work-in-progress of \$55.2 million (2004 - \$45.0 million).

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5. Measurement Uncertainty

Uncertainty in the determination of the amount at which an item is recognized in financial statements is known as measurement uncertainty. Such uncertainty exists when there is a variance between the recognized amount and another reasonably possible amount.

Measurement uncertainty exists in these financial statements in the accrual of pension obligations, non-renewable resources royalties, site restoration obligations, accident claims obligations and the federal government's Equalization, Canada Health Transfer and Canada Social Transfer payments. It also exists in the valuation of loans where repayment is contingent upon an organization's cash flows. The uncertainty arises from factors such as the effect on accrued pension obligations of actual experience compared to actuarial estimations and assumptions; the effect on accrued royalties of price and production sensitivities in the royalty structures; the effect on site restoration obligations of actual experience compared to historical estimations and assumptions; the effect on accrued accident claims obligations of actual experience compared to actuarial estimations and assumptions; the effect on transfers from the federal government of changes in economic and demographic conditions in the Province and the country; and the effect of commodity prices on cash flows. It is reasonably possible that changes in future conditions, occurring within one fiscal year, could require a material change in the amounts recognized.

6. Risk Management of Public Debt

The Government borrows funds in both domestic and foreign capital markets by issuing Government of Saskatchewan securities. As a result of these transactions, the Government is exposed to four types of risk: interest rate risk, foreign exchange rate risk, credit risk and liquidity risk.

To manage these risks, the Government maintains a preference for fixed rate Canadian dollar denominated debt. Where market conditions dictate that other forms of debt are more attractive, the Government seeks opportunities to use derivative financial instruments to reduce these risks. A derivative financial instrument is a contract whose value is based on the value of another asset or index.

Interest rate risk is the risk that the Government's debt charges will increase due to changes in interest rates. This risk is managed by issuing debt securities at predominantly fixed rates of interest rather than at floating rates of interest. The Government seeks opportunities to effectively convert floating rate debt into fixed rate debt through the use of interest rate swaps. At March 31, 2005, 88.2 per cent (2004 - 82.0 per cent) of the Government's gross public debt effectively carried a rate of interest that was fixed for greater than a one-year period.

Foreign exchange rate risk is the risk that the Government's debt charges will increase due to a decline in the value of the Canadian dollar relative to other currencies. This risk is managed by maintaining a preference for issuing debt that is denominated in Canadian dollars. Where debt has been issued in foreign currencies, the Government seeks opportunities to effectively convert it into Canadian dollar debt through the use of cross currency swaps. At March 31, 2005, 96.4 per cent (2004 - 90.3 per cent) of the Government's gross public debt is effectively denominated in Canadian dollars.

Credit risk is the risk that a loss may occur from the failure of another party to meet its obligations under a derivative financial instrument contract. This risk is managed by dealing only with counterparties with good credit ratings and by establishing limits on individual counterparty exposures and monitoring those exposures on a regular basis. At March 31, 2005, 100 per cent (2004 - 100 per cent) of the Government's counterparties held a Standard and Poor's credit rating of A or better.

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Government will not be able to meet its financial commitments over the short-term. This risk is managed by distributing debt maturities over many years, maintaining sinking funds on long-term debt issues and maintaining adequate cash reserves and short-term borrowing programs as contingent sources of liquidity.

Schedule 10 provides more detailed information on the Government's use of derivative financial instruments.

7. Retirement Benefits

The Government sponsors several defined benefit and defined contribution pension plans. The Government also participates in a joint defined benefit pension plan.

Defined benefit pension plans provide benefits based on length of service and pensionable earnings. A typical defined benefit plan provides pensions equal to 2 per cent of a member's average five years highest salary, multiplied by the years of service to a maximum of 35 years. Members contribute a percentage of salary, which may vary based on age, to their plan. Pensions and contribution rates are integrated with the Canada Pension Plan.

Actuarial valuations are performed at least triennially. An actuary extrapolates these valuations when a valuation is not done in the current fiscal year. Valuations are based on a number of assumptions about future events, such as inflation rates, interest rates, wage and salary increases and employee turnover and mortality. These assumptions reflect estimates of expected long-term rates and

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short-term forecasts. Estimates vary based on the individual plan.

The accrued benefit obligation is determined using the projected benefit method prorated on services. Pension fund assets are valued at market related values based on actual market values averaged over a four-year period. In the periods between valuations, the actuary estimates the market related value of pension fund assets using expected long-term rates of return for the individual plans.

Joint defined benefit plans are governed by a formal agreement between the joint sponsors (i.e., employer and plan members), which establishes that the joint sponsors have shared control over the plan. Funding contributions are shared mutually between the employer and plan members. The sponsors share, on an equitable basis, the significant risks of each plan. Accordingly, the Government accounts for only its portion of the plan. Plan assets and surpluses are restricted for member benefits or certain other purposes set out in the agreement. Plan benefits are determined on the same basis as defined benefit plans.

Pension fund assets are valued at market related values based on actual market values adjusted by averaging recognition of realized and unrealized gains and losses on plan investments over a four year period.

Defined contribution pension plans provide pensions based on accumulated contributions and investment earnings. Employees contribute a percentage of salary. The Government provides contributions at specified rates for employee current service.

Pension fund assets of government sponsored defined benefit and defined contribution plans are invested in fixed income securities, equities, real estate and short-term monetary items. The investment in Government of Saskatchewan securities is insignificant for all plans.

Government Service Organizations

a) Defined benefit plans and joint defined benefit plan

The two main defined benefit plans are the Teachers' Superannuation Plan (TSP) and the Public Service Superannuation Plan (PSSP). Other plans include Judges of the Provincial Court Superannuation Plan (Judges), Saskatchewan Transportation Company Employees Superannuation Plan, Anti-TB League Employees Superannuation Plan and the Saskatchewan Pension Annuity Fund, an annuity underwriting operation. Defined benefits are also payable to members of the former Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Fund (MLA).

The TSP provides inflation protection equal to 80 per cent of the annual increase in the Consumer Price Index. Other plans provide inflation indexing at the discretion of the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

The Government is required to match member current service contributions for all plans except Judges and the PSSP. Separate pension funds are maintained for all plans except the PSSP and the former MLA, for which member contributions are received and pension obligations are paid directly by the Government.

The Government also participates in the Saskatchewan Healthcare Employees' Pension Plan (SHEPP), a joint defined benefit plan for employees of the twelve Regional Health Authorities. The Government contributes to the plan at the ratio of 1.12 to 1 of employee contributions. Any actuarially determined deficiency is the responsibility of participating employers and employees in the ratio of 1.12 to 1. The Government's participating employer contributions for SHEPP represents approximately 90 per cent of the total employer contributions to the plan.

Information on the defined benefit plans of government service organizations and the joint defined benefit plan follows:

	2005					2004
	TSP	PSSP	Others	SHEPP	Total	Total
Plan status.....	closed	closed	closed ¹	open	n/a	n/a
Member contribution rate, percentage of salary.....	7.85	7-9 ²	5-9 ²	5.85-7.35 ²	n/a	n/a
Number of active members.....	3,811	1,580	68	29,342	34,801	34,989
Average age of active members, years.....	51.9	53.7	56.0	44.1	45.5	45.5
Former members entitled to deferred pension benefits.....	5,645	131	10	1,092	6,878	7,222
Number of superannuates and surviving spouses.....	10,238	5,780	2,307	7,862	26,187	25,142
Actuarial valuation date.....	Jun 30/03	Dec 31/02	Various	Dec 31/02	n/a	n/a
Assumptions used:						
Rate of compensation increase.....	3.50%	4.00%	4.00%	6.00% ³	n/a	n/a
Expected long-term rate of return on plan assets.....	7.00%	6.25%	6.25%	6.75%	n/a	n/a
Discount rate.....	7.00%	6.25%	6.25%	6.75%	n/a	n/a
Inflation rate.....	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.25%	n/a	n/a

¹ Judges is open to new membership; all other plans are closed.

² Contribution rate varies based on age upon joining the plan.

³ The annual rate of compensation increase is 6 per cent for 2003 to 2005 and 4.25 per cent thereafter.

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The following table shows information based on the latest actuarial valuation extrapolated to March 31, 2005 for defined benefit plans and December 31, 2004 for the joint defined benefit plan:

					(thousands of dollars)
	2005				2004
	TSP ¹	PSSP	Other	Total	Total
Accrued benefit obligation,					
beginning of year.....	\$ 4,137,353	\$ 1,578,853	\$ 274,089	\$ 5,990,295	\$ 5,613,436
Current benefit cost.....	55,064	16,833	3,178	75,075	74,565
Interest cost.....	280,496	96,121	15,271	391,888	389,996
Actuarial (gains) losses.....	-	(5,029)	(2,421)	(7,450)	234,994
Joint defined benefit plan (SHEPP) ²	-	-	12,702	12,702	29,500
Benefit payments.....	(260,558)	(98,680)	(653)	(359,891)	(352,196)
Accrued Benefit Obligation, End of Year	4,212,355	1,588,098	302,166	6,102,619	5,990,295
Plan assets, beginning of year.....	1,623,832	-	157,483	1,781,315	1,927,066
Return on plan assets.....	111,337	-	10,971	122,308	132,687
Employer contributions.....	80,080	92,936	4,853	177,869	170,343
Employee contributions.....	19,382	5,744	362	25,488	24,879
Plan expenses.....	(3,427)	-	(1,532)	(4,959)	(3,488)
Actuarial gains (losses).....	-	-	-	-	(117,976)
Benefit payments.....	(260,558)	(98,680)	(653)	(359,891)	(352,196)
Plan Assets, End of Year	1,570,646	-	171,484	1,742,130	1,781,315
	2,641,709	1,588,098	130,682	4,360,489	4,208,980
Unamortized estimation adjustments ³	(86,803)	(88,116)	(508)	(175,427)	(156,324)
Pension Liabilities⁴	\$ 2,554,906	\$ 1,499,982	\$ 130,174	\$ 4,185,062	\$ 4,052,656

¹ The TSP accrued benefit obligation includes a liability of \$40.5 million (2004 - \$43.0 million) relating to the TSP disability provision. The TSP's actual rate of return on plan assets was 10.3 per cent (2004 - 21.3 per cent).

² The table only reports the Government's employer portion of the pension liability. At December 31, 2004, SHEPP had a total accrued benefit obligation of \$2.2 billion (2003 - \$2.0 billion) and pension fund assets of \$2.1 billion (2003 - \$1.9 billion) at market related values and unamortized estimation adjustments of \$(83.8) million (2003 - \$(91.9) million). The Government and member contributions to the plan totaled \$60.3 million (2003 - \$43.2 million) and \$59.9 million (2003 - \$41.4 million) respectively. Benefit payments from the plan totaled \$71.4 million (2003 - \$64.9 million).

³ Amortized to income over 4 to 13 years, the estimated average remaining service life of active plan members at the time the estimation adjustment arose.

⁴ Pension liabilities are estimated using interest rates that are reflective of the long-term rate of returns and short-term forecasts. A 1 per cent decrease in the interest rate would result in a \$484.4 million and \$189.0 million increase in the pension liabilities for TSP and PSSP, respectively, and a 1 per cent increase would result in a \$398.7 million and \$157.2 million decrease in the pension liabilities for TSP and PSSP, respectively.

At March 31, 2005, the market value of defined benefit plan investments was \$1.8 billion (2004 - \$1.8 billion) and the market value of the joint defined benefit plan investments was \$2.2 billion (2004 - \$2.0 billion). Of these amounts, 38.1 per cent (2004 - 38.4 per cent) was invested in fixed income securities and 56.1 per cent (2004 - 57.8 per cent) in equity investments.

b) Defined contribution plans

The two main multi-employer defined contribution plans sponsored by the Government are the Public Employees Pension Plan (PEPP) and the Capital Pension Plan (Capital). The Government provides contributions to the plans at specified rates for employee current service. The Government also contributes to the Saskatchewan Teachers' Retirement Plan (STRP), sponsored by the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation and to the Regina Civic Employees Superannuation and Benefit Plan (RCESP). The Government has fully funded its share of contributions to the defined contribution plans.

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Information on the defined contribution plans of government service organizations follows:

	2005					2004
	Government Sponsored			STRP	Total	Total
PEPP	Capital	RCESP ¹				
Plan status.....	open	open	open	n/a	n/a	n/a
Member contribution rate, percentage of salary.....	5-6.35 ²	5.0-5.5 ²	9.48-14.05 ²	n/a	n/a	n/a
Government contribution rate, percentage of salary.....	6.35	5.5-6.0 ²	9.48-14.05 ²	n/a	n/a	n/a
Government service organization participation:						
Number of active members.....	20,229	639	1,484	n/a	22,352	22,373
Number of inactive members.....	9,778	20	110	n/a	9,908	10,421
Member contributions (thousands of dollars)..... \$	42,971	\$ 1,781	\$ 7,655	n/a \$	52,407	\$ 48,426
Government contributions (thousands of dollars).....	43,066	1,853	7,803	\$ 32,817	85,539	80,152

¹ Certain employees of a Regional Health Authority participate in the RCESP, a multi-employer defined benefit pension plan established through a City of Regina bylaw. All costs, including costs of any actuarially determined deficiency, are equally shared by the employees and employers. At December 31, 2004, audited financial statements for the plan reported a benefit obligation of \$682.8 million (2003 - \$638.8 million) and assets at market value of \$665.5 million (2003 - \$585.5 million).

² Contribution rate varies based on employee group.

c) Pension expense

Pension expense for government service organizations is allocated to education expense, health expense and other expense. Pension interest expense is included in debt charges. The total pension expense of government service organizations includes the following:

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Defined benefit plans:		
Current period benefit cost.....	\$ 75,075	\$ 74,565
Amortization of estimation adjustments.....	(26,553)	(93,149)
Employee contributions.....	(25,488)	(24,879)
Plan expense.....	4,959	3,488
Cost of financing unfunded pension obligation (pension interest expense).....	269,580	257,309
Total pension expense, defined benefit plans.....	297,573	217,334
Other plans:		
Total pension expense, joint defined benefit plan.....	73,031	72,660
Total pension expense, defined contribution plans.....	85,539	80,152
Total Pension Expense	\$ 456,143	\$ 370,146

Government Business Enterprises

a) Defined benefit plans

There are additional employee pension plans of government business enterprises which are accounted for in the investment in government business enterprises. The two main defined benefit plans of government business enterprises are the Power Corporation Superannuation Plan (SaskPower) and the Saskatchewan Telecommunications Pension Plan (SaskTel). Other plans include Saskatchewan Government Insurance Superannuation Plan, Liquor Board Superannuation Plan, and the Workers' Compensation Board Superannuation Plan.

The Government contributes the amount necessary to fund the payment of pension benefits.

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Information on the defined benefit plans of government business enterprises follows:

		2005			2004	
		SaskPower	SaskTel	Others	Total	Total
Plan status.....		closed	closed	closed	n/a	n/a
Number of active members.....		569	653	132	1,354	1,491
Number of former members, superannuates and surviving spouses.....		1,732	1,682	443	3,857	3,814
Member contributions (thousands of dollars).....	\$	1,697	2,613	392	4,702	4,758
Government contributions (thousands of dollars).....		7,536	38,587	2,192	48,315	9,615
Benefits paid (thousands of dollars).....		39,543	42,015	13,961	95,519	90,009

The assumptions used to determine the amounts under the defined benefit plans are as follows:

Rate of compensation increase.....	1.90% - 4.50%
Expected long-term rate of return on plan assets.....	6.00% - 7.00%
Discount rate	5.60% - 6.00%
Inflation rate.....	1.90% - 3.00%

Based on the latest actuarial valuations extrapolated to December 31, 2004 the present value of accrued pension benefits and the market related value of pension fund assets are shown in the table below:

Plan Name	Actuarial Valuation Date	Accrued Benefit Obligation	Fair Value of Assets	2005		(thousands of dollars)	
				Plan Deficit	Unamortized Amounts ¹	Pension Liabilities	Pension Liabilities
SaskPower.....	Sept. 30/04	\$ 716,447	\$ 687,975	\$ 28,472	\$ (50,511)	\$ (22,039)	\$ (17,863)
SaskTel.....	Dec. 31/03	900,521	815,063	85,458	(140,743)	(55,285)	(51,548)
Others.....	Various	118,706	91,944	26,762	(3,061)	23,701	23,842
Total		\$ 1,735,674	\$ 1,594,982	\$ 140,692	\$ (194,315)	\$ (53,623)	\$ (45,569)

¹ Includes unamortized transitional assets, unamortized (gains) losses and unamortized past service costs.

At December 31, 2004, 33.7 per cent (2003 - 32.9 per cent) of pension plan assets were invested in fixed income securities and 53.7 per cent (2003 - 52.5 per cent) in equity investments.

b) Defined contribution plans

Information on the defined contribution plans of government business enterprises follows:

	2005		2004	
	PEPP	Capital	Total	Total
Number of active members.....	8,307	2,197	10,504	10,304
Number of inactive members.....	2,805	57	2,862	3,026
Government contributions (thousands of dollars).....	\$ 24,043	\$ 4,789	\$ 28,832	\$ 28,685

c) Pension expense

Pension expense and pension interest expense for government business enterprises are included in income from government business enterprises. The pension expense for the year for the defined benefit plans is \$40.6 million (2004 - \$6.5 million) and \$28.8 million (2004 - \$28.7 million) for the defined contribution plans.

d) Other future benefit plans

Other future benefit plans of government business enterprises include defined benefit severance plans for management employees, union employees and the supplementary superannuation plan. The present value of accrued benefits is \$82.3 million (2004 - \$76.5 million) and the accrued benefit liability is \$55.2 million (2004 - \$48.5 million).

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8. Reserves

The Environmental Protection Reserve was created to provide contingency funding to mitigate unforeseen environmental problems related to uranium milling. During the year, the Reserve was reduced by costs related to the clean up and rehabilitation of abandoned northern uranium mine sites. At March 31, 2005, the balance in the reserve is \$0 (2004 - \$11.9 million).

9. Debt Charges

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Total interest costs.....	\$ 1,138,218	\$ 1,185,969
Interest reimbursed from government business enterprises.....	(244,110)	(267,027)
Net foreign exchange loss.....	1,528	3,660
Other costs.....	7,419	5,231
Total Debt Charges	\$ 903,055	\$ 927,833

10. Expense by Object

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Transfers.....	\$ 3,128,885	\$ 2,818,331
Salaries and benefits.....	2,394,437	2,316,651
Operating costs.....	1,122,781	1,023,340
Debt charges.....	903,055	927,833
Tangible capital asset amortization.....	275,507	252,914
Other.....	551,295	445,588
Total Expense	\$ 8,375,960	\$ 7,784,657

11. Comparison of Estimated to Actual Results

The estimated to actual comparison is presented on the basis of the summary financial plan, which is included in the Provincial Budget.

	(thousands of dollars)		
	2005	2004	Actual (Restated)
General Revenue Fund.....	\$ 67	\$ 382,617	\$ 59,300
Fiscal Stabilization Fund.....	(171,100)	382,500	(211,000)
Other Treasury Board Organizations.....	(164,567)	(62,950)	(67,615)
Treasury Board Organizations ¹	(335,600)	702,167	(219,315)
Crown Management Board Organizations.....	56,500	55,878	170,124
	(279,100)	758,045	(49,191)
Not-for-Profit Insurance Organizations.....	(17,700)	86,296	(50,319)
Surplus (Deficit)	\$ (296,800)	\$ 844,341	\$ (99,510)

¹ Net of dividends from other government organizations.

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12. Contingencies

Guaranteed debt

Debt of \$150.8 million (2004 - \$273.0 million) is guaranteed by the Government. Schedule 11 provides a listing of guaranteed debt.

Lawsuits

Up to \$99.1 million may be paid depending on the outcome of lawsuits in progress.

Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

The Government pays for certain social services provided to status Indians and submits claims to the federal government for the cost of these services. The Government believes these costs are the responsibility of the federal government and that these costs are fully reimbursable. However, the federal government denies responsibility for a portion of these costs.

The Government is unable to determine whether the outstanding amounts will be reimbursed. The Government will account for any recovery resulting from the resolution of this contingency at the time of settlement. No provision for such a recovery has been made in these financial statements.

13. Contractual Obligations

Significant contractual obligations include:

- forward purchase agreements of \$1,655.6 million for coal contracted for future minimum deliveries valued at current prices, and approximately \$4,817.5 million for power over the next 23 years;
- contracts for the construction and acquisition of tangible capital assets of \$387.6 million;
- agreements to provide housing subsidies and transfers of \$102.2 million, over five years;
- capital grant projects of \$79.4 million, over 15 years;
- computer service agreements of \$42.2 million, over five years;
- treaty land entitlement agreements valued at approximately \$21.5 million;
- other contractual obligations of \$235.7 million which include \$13.9 million for agriculture, \$11.1 million for community development, \$68.2 million for economic development, \$7.2 million for education, \$31.9 million for environment and \$4.7 million for health; and
- operating and capital lease obligations as follows:

	(thousands of dollars)	
	Operating	Capital
Future minimum lease payments		
2005-06.....	\$ 100,992	\$ 21,005
2006-07.....	90,848	17,165
2007-08.....	54,772	14,317
2008-09.....	41,924	13,950
2009-10.....	34,832	13,025
Thereafter.....	62,420	48,400
	385,788	127,862
Interest and executory costs.....	-	(60,715)
Total Lease Obligations	\$ 385,788	\$ 67,147

Total operating lease obligations include \$218.7 million for government service organizations and \$167.1 million for government business enterprises.

Total capital lease obligations include \$53.5 million for government service organizations (schedule 6) and \$13.6 million for government business enterprises.

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14. Government Partnerships

During 2004-05, the Government determined that its 50 per cent interest in Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership (MLPLP), which operates a pulp mill near Meadow Lake, no longer meets the definition of a government business partnership (see note 16). It is more appropriately reported as a government partnership and accordingly is now proportionately consolidated. Comparative figures, in which the Government's investment in MLPLP was accounted for by the modified equity method, have not been restated.

The Government's pro-rata share of its government partnerships is as follows:

	(thousands of dollars)
	2005
Financial assets.....	\$ 16,263
Liabilities.....	39,150
Net Debt.....	(22,887)
Non-financial assets.....	82,535
Accumulated Surplus	59,648
Revenue	96,045
Expense.....	101,439
Deficit.....	(5,394)
Accumulated surplus, beginning of year.....	65,042
Accumulated Surplus, End of Year	\$ 59,648

15. Trust Funds

Trust funds are property held and administered on behalf of beneficiaries. Trust assets are administered but not controlled by the Government. Therefore, trust funds are not included in the reporting entity.

Fund balances held and administered by the Government at March 31, 2005, are as follows:

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Pension plans ¹	\$ 8,786,857	\$ 8,277,428
Public Guardian and Trustee of Saskatchewan.....	135,541	136,396
Other	101,900	8,998
Total Trust Funds	\$ 9,024,298	\$ 8,422,822

¹ The balance reflects the latest financial statements of the funds closest to March 31, 2005.

16. Change in Accounting Policy

a) Capitalization of Non-financial Assets

During 2004-05, the Government adopted new standards of accounting for non-financial assets recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants. Along with this change in accounting policy, a new financial statement presentation was introduced. This new presentation introduces non-financial assets as a separate category of assets on the Summary Statement of Financial Position. It also results in the annual surplus (deficit) and accumulated deficit being calculated using the expense basis of accounting, as opposed to the expenditure basis, used previously. Also introduced is a new statement, the Summary Statement of Change in Net Debt, which reconciles the annual surplus calculated on the expense basis to the annual change in net debt. Net debt is calculated as liabilities less financial assets.

Under the new recommendations, tangible capital assets and inventories for consumption are recorded as non-financial assets on the Summary Statement of Financial Position and the cost of the Government's use of these assets during the year is recorded as an expense in the Summary Statement of Operations. Prior to 2004-05, tangible capital assets and inventories for consumption were recorded as expenditures in the period acquired. The effect of this change in accounting policy in the current year is an increase in assets and an increase in the surplus of \$98.6 million. The Government has retroactively restated comparative figures to record this change in accounting policy.

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For the year ended March 31, 2004, the net effect of this change and the reclassification of certain figures to conform with the current year's presentation is as follows:

					(thousands of dollars)
	As previously reported		Change in accounting policy	Reclassification	As restated
Financial assets.....	\$ 5,180,199	\$ (21,585)		19,497	\$ 5,178,111
Liabilities.....	14,476,231		-	19,497	14,495,728
Net Debt.....	(9,296,032)	(21,585)		-	(9,317,617)
Non-financial assets.....	-	3,950,807		-	3,950,807
Accumulated Deficit	\$ (9,296,032)	\$ 3,929,222	\$	-	\$ (5,366,810)
Revenue.....	\$ 6,866,498		-	\$ 84,633	\$ 6,951,131
Expense.....	7,747,359	(47,335)		84,633	7,784,657
Deficit from government service organizations.....	(880,861)	47,335		-	(833,526)
Income from government business enterprises.....	734,016		-		734,016
Deficit.....	(146,845)	47,335		-	(99,510)
Accumulated deficit, beginning of year.....	(9,283,887)	3,881,887		-	(5,402,000)
Adjustment to accumulated deficit (note 17).....	134,700		-		134,700
Accumulated Deficit, End of Year	\$ (9,296,032)	\$ 3,929,222	\$	-	\$ (5,366,810)

b) Government Partnerships

During 2004-05, the Government determined that its 50 per cent interest in Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership (MLPLP), which operates a pulp mill near Meadow Lake, no longer meets the definition of a government business partnership. It is more appropriately reported as a government partnership and accordingly is now proportionately consolidated (see note 14). Comparative figures have not been restated.

The net effect of this change in accounting treatment at April 1, 2004 is as follows:

		(thousands of dollars)
Financial assets		
Investment in MLPLP.....		\$ (60,042)
Other assets.....		16,553
Liabilities		
Public debt.....		32,453
Other liabilities.....		14,200
Net Debt.....		(90,142)
Non-financial assets		
Tangible capital assets.....		82,469
Other non-financial assets.....		7,673
Accumulated Deficit		\$ -

17. Adjustment to Accumulated Deficit

During 2004-05, an adjustment of \$30.1 million was made to the April 1, 2004 accumulated deficit. A government business enterprise adopted new standards of accounting for financial instruments recommended by the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants, resulting in an increase in investment in government business enterprises of \$30.1 million and a corresponding decrease in the accumulated deficit. The comparative figures have not been restated.

During 2003-04, an adjustment of \$134.7 million was made to the April 1, 2003 accumulated deficit. The Government changed its accounting treatment for transfers under the Net Income Stabilization Account (NISA) resulting in a \$46.1 million reduction in agriculture expense and a corresponding increase in the opening accumulated deficit, and a government business enterprise adopted new standards of accounting for asset retirement obligations recommended by the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants, resulting in an increase in investment in government business enterprises of \$180.8 million and a corresponding decrease in the accumulated deficit.

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18. Comparative Figures

Certain of the 2004 comparative figures have been reclassified to conform with the current year's presentation.

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For the Year Ended March 31, 2005

Schedule 1 - Accounts Receivable

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
	(Restated)	
Taxation.....	\$ 198,099	\$ 180,391
Non-renewable resources.....	183,949	107,265
Other own-source revenue.....	433,975	438,863
Transfers from the federal government.....	98,180	113,133
	914,203	839,652
Provision for loss.....	(81,555)	(80,795)
Total Accounts Receivable	\$ 832,648	\$ 758,857

Schedule 2 - Loans and Mortgages Receivable

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Student loans.....	\$ 122,768	\$ 99,444
Agricultural loans.....	66,388	68,636
Other loans.....	36,175	57,667
Mortgages.....	1,670	3,870
	227,001	229,617
Provision for loss.....	(84,052)	(82,126)
Total Loans and Mortgages Receivable	\$ 142,949	\$ 147,491

See page 67 for additional information.

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Schedule 2 (continued) - Loans and Mortgages Receivable

Student Loans

The program operates under the authority of *The Student Assistance and Student Aid Fund Act, 1985*. Loans are interest-free until the discontinuance of full-time studies or graduation. Interest rates are prescribed by the Minister of Learning. Special incentive loan remission grants, student bursaries, scholarships, study grants and other varieties of loan forgiveness are available to students who meet specific criteria.

A Risk Sharing Student Loans Agreement between the Government and a bank was signed in March 1996. This agreement covers loans approved between August 1, 1996 and July 31, 2001. The Government retained responsibility for loan approval. Loans approved are lender-financed, disbursed, managed and collected by the bank. The Government pays a risk premium of 5.0 per cent to the bank when loans become repayable.

In June 2001, the Government entered into an agreement with the federal government to integrate the federal and provincial student loans programs. This agreement is effective for loans approved on or after August 1, 2001 and establishes the Government as financier of the program. The Government approves applications for both provincial and federal loans. Disbursement, administration and collection of loans is contracted to external agencies.

A loss provision of \$50.1 million (2004 - \$42.3 million) has been recorded on these loans.

Agricultural Loans

Capital loan program

The Government holds \$42.7 million (2004 - \$42.7 million) in loans under the Capital loan program. These loans are repayable over terms not exceeding 25 years and bear interest at rates between 5.0 per cent and 13.5 per cent (2004 - 5.0 and 13.5 per cent). Security on individual loans varies and may include mortgages on real property, security agreements and guarantees. The program operates under *The Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan Act*. A loss provision of \$11.8 million (2004 - \$11.8 million) has been recorded on these loans.

Other agricultural loans

The Government holds \$23.7 million (2004 - \$25.9 million) in loans under various other agricultural loan programs. The interest on these loans ranges from 5.0 to 10.5 per cent (2004 - 5.0 to 10.5 per cent). Generally, the loans are secured by promissory notes and, where applicable, by guarantees or general security arrangements. A loss provision of \$10.8 million (2004 - \$9.7 million) has been recorded on these loans.

Other Loans

The Government's loan portfolio also consists of numerous other loans at various interest rates. Maturities on these loans extend to 2022. A loss provision of \$10.6 million (2004 - \$17.5 million) has been recorded on these loans.

Mortgages

Mortgages are repayable, at various interest rates, over terms not exceeding 35 years. Security on the mortgages may include promissory notes or charges against residential property. A loss provision of \$0.8 million (2004 - \$0.9 million) has been recorded on these mortgages.

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Schedule 3 - Investment in Government Business Enterprises

	SaskEnergy Incorporated Dec. 31, 2004	Saskatchewan Power Corporation Dec. 31, 2004	Saskatchewan Telecom- munications Holding Corporation Dec. 31, 2004	Liquor and Gaming Authority Mar. 31, 2005	Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation Mar. 31, 2005
Assets					
Cash and temporary investments					
Due from government organizations.....	\$ 3,637	103,978	141,486	43,627	23,026
Other.....				1,535	
Accounts receivable					
Due from government organizations.....		2,261			
Other.....	173,726	146,923	57,223	23,746	160
Inventories.....	6,843	118,069	7,089	16,857	166
Prepaid expenses.....		7,887	8,921	3,537	1,640
Long-term investments					
In the Government.....					
Other.....	23,437	25,460	1,159		
Capital assets.....	949,461	3,344,395	892,776	78,885	56,952
Other assets					
Due from government organizations.....		5,500			
Other.....	129,337	76,358	122,076	2,962	
Total Assets	1,286,441	3,830,831	1,230,730	171,149	81,944
Liabilities					
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities					
Due to government organizations.....	13,230	53,726	5,823		
Other.....	146,192	170,275	123,954	13,978	5,763
Dividends payable to government organizations.....	26,500	14,273	31,215	128,339	39,431
Debt					
Owing to government organizations.....	749,667	1,946,112	355,331		
Other.....	4,816	95,126	8,175		28,642
Unearned revenue					
Received from government organizations.....					
Other.....			40,515		
Unpaid insurance claims.....					
Other liabilities.....		161,158	7,085	28,832	8,108
Total Liabilities	940,405	2,440,670	572,098	171,149	81,944
Net Assets	\$ 346,036	1,390,161	658,632	-	-
Revenue					
From government organizations.....	\$ 14,506	19,168	49,489		
Other.....	689,955	1,241,428	883,330	740,281	105,798
Total Revenue	704,461	1,260,596	932,819	740,281	105,798
Expense					
Paid and owing to government organizations.....	65,601	242,349	49,329		
Other.....	531,018	951,838	796,694	377,604	66,367
Total Expense³	596,619	1,194,187	846,023	377,604	66,367
Income before non-recurring items.....	107,842	66,409	86,796	362,677	39,431
Non-recurring items.....			7,674		
Net Income	107,842	66,409	94,470	362,677	39,431
Retained earnings (deficit) - beginning of year.....	237,738	723,591	406,133	65	
Effect of prior period adjustment (note 17).....	851	(64)	(3,962)	(1,698)	
Dividends to government organizations ⁴	(70,000)	(59,768)	(88,009)	(361,044)	(39,431)
Retained earnings (deficit) - end of year.....	276,431	730,168	408,632	-	-
Equity advances from government organizations.....	71,531	659,993	250,000		
Unrealized gains and losses ⁵	(1,926)				
Investment in Government Business Enterprises	346,036	1,390,161	658,632	-	-
Other equity.....					
Net Assets	\$ 346,036	1,390,161	658,632	-	-

See page 70 for additional information.

¹ Adjustments include:

- reclassifying dividends paid by March 31, 2005;
- reclassifying cross currency swaps of Saskatchewan Power Corporation; and
- reversing losses recognized by government business enterprises on transactions with government service organizations.

							(thousands of dollars)	
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan	Saskatchewan Government Insurance	Saskatchewan Auto Fund ²	Workers' Compensation Board (Saskatchewan) ³	Saskatchewan Government Growth Fund Management Corporation	Adjustments ¹	Total 2005	Total 2004	
Dec. 31, 2004	Dec. 31, 2004	Dec. 31, 2004	Dec. 31, 2004	Dec. 31, 2004				
45	24,135	35,714	66,605	1,316	\$ (77,920)	43,672	\$ 36,652	
						323,512	91,229	
626	74,070	118,319	28,165	2,632		14,261	15,649	
						625,590	618,158	
	71,881	21,078				149,024	144,442	
						114,944	107,007	
21,241	6,894	13,617	4,350			24,861	27,845	
	342,073	873,633	902,635	186		2,189,824	1,949,707	
	9,312	38,609	19,608			5,389,998	5,336,648	
41	5,734				6,101	5,500	5,000	
						342,609	279,333	
21,953	534,099	1,104,077	1,030,256	4,134	(71,819)	9,223,795	8,611,670	
152	11,988	26,359	8,069			119,195	120,873	
	21,162	13,060	15,718	326		510,580	474,790	
	5,932				(77,920)	167,770	180,418	
11,430					61,976	3,124,516	2,899,927	
						136,759	141,651	
11,582	149,995	239,209				429,719	397,335	
	232,560	685,318	836,507			1,754,385	1,724,415	
	6,418		117,256		(61,976)	266,881	247,715	
10,371	428,055	963,946	977,550	326	(77,920)	6,509,805	6,187,124	
1,484	106,044	140,131	52,706	3,808	6,101	\$ 2,713,990	\$ 2,424,546	
1,484	294,515	593,266	236,393	3,192		\$ 107,398	\$ 110,991	
1,484	294,515	597,136	256,758	3,192	-	4,789,642	4,594,308	
1,311	11,537	42,054	8,069		616	420,866	415,477	
25	241,294	429,737	236,969	2,652	6,365	3,640,563	3,540,009	
1,336	252,831	471,791	245,038	2,652	6,981	4,061,429	3,955,486	
148	41,684	125,345	11,720	540	(6,981)	835,611	749,813	
						7,674	(15,797)	
10,223	41,684	125,345	11,720	540	(6,981)	843,285	734,016	
	37,504	14,352	(51,367)	3,267	7,587	1,389,093	1,157,047	
				30,119	4,873	30,119	180,787	
	(28,144)	434			615	(645,347)	(682,757)	
10,371	51,044	140,131	(9,528)	3,807	6,094	1,617,150	1,389,093	
	55,000			1	7	1,036,532	1,036,532	
			62,234			60,308	-	
10,371	106,044	140,131	52,706	3,808	6,101	2,713,990	2,425,625	
							(1,079)	
10,371	106,044	140,131	52,706	3,808	6,101	\$ 2,713,990	\$ 2,424,546	

² Net assets are restricted as disclosed on page 70.³ Total expense includes debt charges, net of sinking fund earnings, of \$248.7 million (2004 - \$228.3 million). Interest in the amount of \$240.7 million (2004 - \$221.6 million) was paid to government organizations.⁴ Also included in dividends to government organizations is a net unrealized loss on transfer of assets to government organizations.⁵ Unrealized gains and losses consist of \$62.2 million of market value adjustments on investments, which include an adjustment to the accumulated deficit at April 1, 2004 of \$17.5 million, and \$1.9 million of unrealized losses from self-sustaining foreign operations.

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Schedule 3 (continued) - Investment in Government Business Enterprises

SaskEnergy Incorporated (SaskEnergy)

SaskEnergy promotes, transports, stores and distributes natural gas in Saskatchewan.

Saskatchewan Power Corporation (SaskPower)

SaskPower generates, purchases, transmits, distributes and sells electricity and related products and services.

Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation (SaskTel)

SaskTel markets and supplies a range of voice, data, internet, wireless, text, image and entertainment products, systems and services. Through interconnection agreements, SaskTel is part of the national and global communications network.

Liquor and Gaming Authority (SLGA)

SLGA's main functions are to control the manufacture and distribution of beverage alcohol throughout the Province, to oversee the licencing of all establishments selling alcohol in the Province and to maintain the integrity of all licenced gaming while ensuring maximum benefit to Saskatchewan charities.

Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation (SGC)

SGC manages and operates Casino Regina and Casino Moose Jaw.

Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan (MFC)

MFC's objective is to assist municipalities in financing their capital requirements.

Saskatchewan Government Insurance (SGI) & Saskatchewan Auto Fund (Auto Fund)

SGI's competitive general insurance business, SGI CANADA, offers a comprehensive line of home, tenant, farm, automobile extension and commercial coverages.

The Auto Fund, the provincial compulsory vehicle insurance program, is administered by SGI on behalf of the Government. Any net assets of the Auto Fund are held on behalf of Saskatchewan's motoring public and cannot be used for any other purpose.

Workers' Compensation Board (Saskatchewan) (WCB)

WCB provides workers' compensation insurance to Saskatchewan workers and employers. Any net assets of the WCB cannot be used for any other purpose.

Saskatchewan Government Growth Fund Management Corporation (SGGF)

SGGF participates in the federal government's Immigrant Investor Program to acquire lower cost capital for commercial investment in Saskatchewan. Investment funds are raised through eight subsidiary fund companies and are managed by Crown Capital Partners Inc., a fund manager.

In March 1999, the Immigrant Investor Program ended. However, with a significant number of subscribers yet to complete their subscription requirements, the funds will require management by SGGF for at least the next five years.

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Schedule 4 - Other Investments

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004 (Restated)
Equity Investments		
Government Business Partnerships.....	\$ 150,883	\$ 93,625
Saskferco Products Inc.....	136,637	120,188
Meadow Lake OSB Limited Partnership.....	43,940	30,614
Big Sky Farms Inc.....	21,649	16,455
Other.....	15,915	15,674
	369,024	276,556
Portfolio Investments		
HARO Financial Corporation.....	68,000	68,000
Other.....	31,351	36,351
	99,351	104,351
Bonds, Debentures and Other Advances		
Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership.....	19,188	158,360
HARO Financial Corporation.....	15,448	115,649
Other.....	174,640	162,077
	209,276	436,086
Property Holdings		
	4,543	6,122
Total Other Investments	\$ 682,194	\$ 823,115

See pages 72-74 for additional information.

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Schedule 4 (continued) - Other Investments

Government Business Partnerships

The Government has invested in government business partnerships to promote economic growth and provide an economic return. At March 31, 2005, the Government's investment in government business partnerships includes:

- a 50 per cent interest in NewGrade Energy Inc., which operates a heavy oil upgrading plant in Regina;
- a 35 per cent interest in Centennial Foods Partnership, a value-added food manufacturing and distribution business in Saskatoon;
- a 50 per cent interest in each of Hypor B.V. and Hypor LP, which carry on the business of research, development, production, marketing and sale of pigs, and swine genetic material; and
- a 33.3 per cent interest in Foragen Technologies Limited Partnership, a venture capital fund which provides seed capital to technology corporations.

The Government also has a 50 per cent interest in Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership (MLPLP), which operates a pulp mill near Meadow Lake. During 2004-05, the Government determined that its investment in MLPLP no longer meets the definition of a government business partnership. It is more appropriately reported as a government partnership and accordingly is now proportionately consolidated (see note 14). Comparative figures have not been restated for this change in accounting treatment.

(thousands of dollars)

Condensed Financial Information for Government Business Partnerships	2005	2004
Assets		
Capital assets.....	\$ 58,956	\$ 249,351
Other.....	472,059	410,345
Total Assets	531,015	659,696
Liabilities		
Debt		
Owing to government organizations.....	-	664,667
Other.....	77,963	177,698
Other.....	138,628	137,919
Total Liabilities	216,591	980,284
Net Assets (Liabilities)	\$ 314,424	\$ (320,588)
Operating Results		
Revenue.....	\$ 1,600,458	\$ 1,490,982
Expense.....	1,370,791	1,516,692
Net Operating Results	229,667	(25,710)
Net operating deficiency - beginning of year.....	(509,066)	(489,001)
Decrease in net operating deficiency - beginning of year (note 14).....	578,526	-
Effect of prior period adjustment.....	-	5,645
Net Operating Surplus (Deficiency) - End of Year.....	299,127	(509,066)
Equity advances/share capital (net of partnership distributions).....	15,163	188,478
Unrealized gains and losses.....	134	-
Net Surplus (Deficiency)	\$ 314,424	\$ (320,588)
Investment in Government Business Partnerships		
Government's share of net operating surplus (deficiency) - end of year.....	\$ 150,001	\$ (253,027)
Government's investment ¹	20,216	100,832
Adjustments ²	(19,334)	245,820
Total Investment in Government Business Partnerships³	\$ 150,883	\$ 93,625

¹ Government's investment includes the Government's initial investment net of partnership distributions as well as subsequent cash injections provided under various terms and conditions.

² Adjustments include:

- additional operating expenditures incurred by the Government's subsidiaries through which the Government has made these investments; and
- certain valuation and amortization adjustments.

³ Total investment in government business partnerships consists of:

(thousands of dollars)

	2005	2004
NewGrade Energy Inc.	\$ 118,509	\$ 109,057
Centennial Foods Partnership.....	20,060	18,238
Hypor B.V.	4,753	4,739
Hypor LP.....	4,584	4,165
Foragen Technologies Limited Partnership.....	2,977	6,556
Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership.....	-	(49,130)
	\$ 150,883	\$ 93,625

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Schedule 4 (continued) - Other Investments

Saskferco Products Inc. (Saskferco)

The Government owns 68.4 million Class B common shares equivalent to a 49 per cent voting interest in Saskferco, a nitrogen fertilizer plant in Belle Plaine.

Meadow Lake OSB Limited Partnership (ML OSB)

The Government is a limited partner in ML OSB, an oriented strand board facility near Meadow Lake. The Government holds a 25 per cent interest in ML OSB. The Government has issued options to purchase its units of ML OSB, which, if exercised, would reduce the Government's interest to 6.8 per cent.

Big Sky Farms Inc. (Big Sky)

The Government owns 0.2 million common shares and 3.8 million convertible preferred shares equivalent to a 39.5 per cent (2004 - 41.2 per cent) interest in Big Sky, a hog production operation headquartered in Humboldt. The Government is entitled to an annual cumulative dividend and the preferred shares may be converted to common shares on a one-to-one basis anytime in the first five years from date of issue ending in 2005. The preferred shares are retractable or redeemable starting in 2007 and the Government holds options to acquire an additional 0.5 million convertible voting preferred shares expiring in 2005 and 2007.

Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership (MLPLP)

In addition to its partnership interest in MLPLP, as disclosed in note 14, the Government has also provided the following financing:

- Participating Debenture of \$79.5 million (2004 - \$159.0 million) bearing interest at 11.15 per cent calculated on October 31 of each year. Due to uncertainty of cash flows from MLPLP, an allowance for investment losses of \$79.5 million (2004 - \$60.0 million) has been recorded resulting in a net balance of \$0 (2004 - \$99.0 million).
- Term Loan of \$10.0 million (2004 - \$20.0 million) bearing interest at prime plus 2.0 per cent, which is 6.25 per cent at March 31, 2005 (2004 - 6.0 per cent). Any interest outstanding and not paid on October 31 of each year is added to the principal balance;
- Contingency Loan of \$5.5 million (2004 - \$10.9 million) bearing interest at prime plus 1.0 per cent, which is 5.25 per cent at March 31, 2005 (2004 - 5.0 per cent). Any interest outstanding and not paid on October 31 of each year is added to the principal balance. Due to uncertainty of cash flows from MLPLP, an allowance for investment losses of \$5.5 million (2004 - \$0) has been recorded resulting in a net balance of \$0 (2004 - \$5.5 million).
- Guarantee Advance of \$4.0 million (2004 - \$8.0 million) bearing interest at prime plus 1.0 per cent, which is 5.25 per cent at March 31, 2005 (2004 - 5.0 per cent). Any interest outstanding and not paid on October 31 of each year is added to the principal balance;
- Cash Flow Loan of \$5.2 million (2004 - \$10.5 million) bearing interest at prime plus 1.0 per cent, which is 5.25 per cent at March 31, 2005 (2004 - 5.0 per cent). Any interest outstanding and not paid on October 31 of each year is added to the principal balance; and
- Guarantee Loan of \$5.0 million (2004 - \$10.0 million) bearing interest at prime plus 1.0 per cent, which is 5.25 per cent at March 31, 2005 (2004 - 5.0 per cent). Any interest outstanding and not paid on October 31 of each year is added to the principal balance. Due to uncertainty of cash flows from MLPLP, an allowance for investment losses of \$5.0 million (2004 - \$0) has been recorded resulting in a net balance of \$0 (2004 - \$5.0 million).

The Government records, as a separate loan (Interest Loan), the accrued interest receivable from the Participating Debenture totaling \$241.3 million (2004 - \$418.2 million). Interest on the Interest Loan, at 11.15 per cent, is calculated on October 31 of each year and is added to the principal balance outstanding on the loan. Interest income earned and forming part of the Interest Loan is recorded as deferred interest income due to the uncertainty of collection and is netted against the outstanding loan balance. The deferred interest income will be recorded as income when payments are received. The total deferred interest is \$258.0 million (2004 - \$446.3 million).

Any payments to be made on the Participating Debenture, Contingency Loan, Guarantee Advance, Cash Flow Loan, Guarantee Loan and the Interest Loan are subject to available cash flows as defined in the loan agreements. Payments towards principal outstanding on the Term Loan are due in two equal instalments after MLPLP has fully repaid an external loan. The Participating Debenture, Term Loan, Contingency Loan and Interest Loan mature in 2014. The remaining balance outstanding on the Participating Debenture and Interest Loan on October 31, 2014 shall bear interest at a rate equal to the Government's short-term cost of borrowing, which at March 31, 2005 is 2.66 per cent (2004 - 2.11 per cent), until paid in full.

HARO Financial Corporation (HARO)

In 1992, the Government entered into a Term Loan agreement with HARO. The loan was for an initial five-year term with a maximum of four five-year renewal terms at the option of HARO. In 2002, the Government agreed to renew this loan for a third five-year term. Annual interest rates on the loan are fixed at the start of each renewal term. For the third five-year term, the interest rate on the loan is 5.5 per cent compounded annually.

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Schedule 4 (continued) - Other Investments

Security for the loan is 100 per cent of HARO's assets, which consist primarily of HARO's 65.2 per cent interest in Crown Life Insurance Company (Crown Life) shares.

Payment of principal and interest is subject to available cash flow as defined in the loan agreement. Due to collection uncertainty, the Government will record interest income when payments are received. The total interest deferred and owing to the Government at March 31, 2005 is \$187.9 million (2004 - \$197.5 million).

All unpaid principal and interest is due on December 15, 2017. On that date, any amounts outstanding will convert to 100 per cent of HARO equity shares. The Government has a unilateral right, prior to December 15, 2017, to convert no less than 25 per cent of the loan to either HARO non-voting, HARO voting or Crown Life shares. Any conversion may be subject to regulatory approval.

The Government owns 68 million HARO Class B non-voting common shares, which entitle the Government to a maximum of 100 per cent of participation rights with respect to dividends and remaining property of HARO on its liquidation or dissolution. Subject to regulatory approval, the Government has a unilateral right to exchange at any time the Class B shares for voting shares or HARO's assets.

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Schedule 5 - Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

	(thousands of dollars)		
	2005	2004	
		(Restated)	
Equalization and Canada Health and Social Transfer repayable to the federal government.....	\$ 631,894	\$	278,652
Transfers			
Federal government.....	131,560		131,550
Other.....	175,501		197,504
Accrued salaries and benefits.....	287,583		301,968
Supplier payments.....	209,113		205,093
Accrued interest.....	159,474		172,676
Other.....	113,720		83,975
Total Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	\$ 1,708,845	\$	1,371,418

Schedule 6 - Other Liabilities

	(thousands of dollars)		
	2005	2004	
Funds held on behalf of government business enterprises and others			
Liquor and Gaming Authority.....	\$ 44,196	\$	39,181
Other.....	49,347		41,119
Capital lease obligations (note 13).....	53,547		59,747
Other.....	38,329		40,936
Total Other Liabilities	\$ 185,419	\$	180,983

Schedule 7 - Unearned Revenue

	(thousands of dollars)		
	2005	2004	
Housing contributions.....	\$ 117,066	\$	109,296
Motor vehicle licencing fees.....	31,856		28,525
Health contributions.....	27,468		27,375
Crown mineral leases.....	17,047		17,109
Other.....	31,056		34,661
Total Unearned Revenue	\$ 224,493	\$	216,966

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Schedule 8 - Public Debt

	(thousands of dollars)				
	2005		2004		
	Gross Public Debt	Sinking Funds ⁶	Public Debt	Public Debt	
Government Service Organizations					
General Revenue Fund ¹	\$ 8,254,156	\$ (708,582)	\$ 7,545,574	\$ 8,031,637	
Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation.....	221,579	-	221,579	177,000	
Regional Health Authorities.....	94,172	-	94,172	124,110	
Saskatchewan Housing Corporation.....	97,809	(3,878)	93,931	95,543	
Saskatchewan Water Corporation.....	60,336	(4,993)	55,343	53,232	
Information Services Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	47,000	-	47,000	60,880	
Investment Saskatchewan Inc. ²	49,444	(5,908)	43,536	15,244	
Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation ³	-	-	-	151,980	
Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	-	-	-	9,100	
Other.....	2,625	-	2,625	5,009	
Debt of Government Service Organizations⁴	8,827,121	(723,361)	8,103,760	8,723,735	
Government Business Enterprises⁵					
Saskatchewan Power Corporation.....	2,390,123	(147,151)	2,242,972	2,076,838	
SaskEnergy Incorporated.....	748,545	(33,772)	714,773	709,393	
Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation.....	401,613	(39,621)	361,992	384,862	
Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation.....	28,642	-	28,642	31,118	
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan.....	12,148	(53)	12,095	14,391	
Debt of Government Business Enterprises	3,581,071	-	(220,597)	3,360,474	3,216,602
Total Public Debt⁷	\$ 12,408,192	\$ (943,958)	\$ 11,464,234	\$ 11,940,337	

Debt repayable in foreign currency has been restated in Canadian dollar equivalents.

¹ General Revenue Fund debt is shown net of \$3,165.3 million (2004 - \$3,060.8 million) reimbursable from government business enterprises and \$418.1 million (2004 - \$551.5 million) reimbursable from government service organizations.

² During 2004-05, the Government changed the accounting treatment of its investment in Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership, as disclosed in note 16, resulting in an increase in public debt of \$32.5 million at April 1, 2004.

³ Gross Public Debt of Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation of \$157.0 million was transferred to the General Revenue Fund effective April 1, 2004.

⁴ Debt of Government Service Organizations includes \$96.7 million (2004 - \$102.9 million) secured by assignments of rents and leases or general security agreements and buildings with a carrying value of \$160.4 million at March 31, 2005 (2004 - \$153.8 million).

⁵ Schedule 3 provides information on government business enterprises as presented in their audited financial statements closest to March 31, 2005. Public Debt shown above has been adjusted from the audited financial statements to March 31, 2005 for the following government business enterprises, in the following amounts:

	2005	2004
Saskatchewan Power Corporation	\$ 139,758	\$ 253,511
SaskEnergy Incorporated	(39,710)	(63,489)
Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation	(1,514)	(14,998)
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan	665	-
	\$ 99,199	\$ 175,024

⁶ See schedule 9 for information on sinking funds.

⁷ See schedule 10 for information on public debt by maturity.

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Schedule 9 - Sinking Funds

(thousands of dollars)

	2004	2005			Currency Adjustment	Sinking Funds
	Sinking Funds	Contributions	Earnings	Redemptions		
Government Service Organizations						
General Revenue Fund ¹	\$ 741,410	\$ 65,544	43,031	(120,577)	(20,826)	\$ 708,582
Investment Saskatchewan Inc.....	5,675	-	233	-	-	5,908
Saskatchewan Water Corporation.....	4,347	323	323	-	-	4,993
Saskatchewan Housing Corporation.....	3,055	585	238	-	-	3,878
Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation.....	1,409	674	93	(2,176)	-	-
Sinking Funds of Government Service Organizations	755,896	67,126	43,918	(122,753)	(20,826)	723,361
Government Business Enterprises						
Saskatchewan Power Corporation.....	128,395	16,641	7,928	-	(5,813)	147,151
Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation.....	36,135	2,916	3,265	-	(2,695)	39,621
SaskEnergy Incorporated.....	27,110	4,540	2,122	-	-	33,772
Municipal Financing Corporation.....	-	50	3	-	-	53
Sinking Funds of Government Business Enterprises	191,640	24,147	13,318	-	(8,508)	220,597
Total Sinking Funds	\$ 947,536	\$ 91,273	\$ 57,236	\$ (122,753)	\$ (29,334)	\$ 943,958

¹ Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation sinking fund of \$5.0 million was transferred to the General Revenue Fund, effective April 1, 2004.

The market value of sinking funds, at March 31, 2005, is \$989.3 million (2004 - \$1,010.8 million).

Sinking fund earnings include gains on investment sales of \$8.1 million (2004 - \$12.5 million).

Annual contributions, when established by Order in Council, are set at not less than 1 per cent of debentures outstanding. The redemption value is based on the market value of the sinking fund units at the date of redemption.

The aggregate amount of contributions estimated to be required in each of the next five fiscal years to meet sinking fund requirements are:

(thousands of dollars)

	Government Service Organizations		Government Business Enterprises		Total (CDN \$)
	Canadian Dollar Debt	U.S. Dollar	Canadian Dollar Debt	U.S. Dollar	
		(CDN \$)		(CDN \$)	
2005-06.....	\$ 57,928	3,326	20,906	6,883	\$ 89,043
2006-07.....	55,678	3,326	20,156	6,883	86,043
2007-08.....	53,678	3,326	20,156	6,883	84,043
2008-09.....	53,678	3,326	19,856	4,536	81,396
2009-10.....	49,054	3,326	19,606	4,536	76,522
	\$ 270,016	\$ 16,630	\$ 100,680	\$ 29,721	\$ 417,047

Sinking fund assets have been invested as follows:

(thousands of dollars)

	2005	2004
Long-term investments in securities of:		
Government of Saskatchewan; coupon interest range 4.9% to 10.3%; maturing in 3.0 to 31.9 years.....	\$ 385,146	\$ 323,003
Other provincial governments; coupon interest range 4.5% to 9.6%; maturing in 6.8 to 34.3 years.....	349,225	397,949
Government of Canada; coupon interest range 4.5% to 8.0%; maturing in 6.2 to 28.2 years.....	121,357	36,643
Government of the United States; coupon interest 5.4%; maturing in 25.9 years.....	4,027	54,996
Cash, short-term investments and accrued interest.....	84,203	134,945
Total Sinking Funds	\$ 943,958	\$ 947,536

Cash, short-term investments and accrued interest include \$0 (2004 - \$16.0 million) Government of Saskatchewan securities and are disclosed net of \$5.2 million (2004 - \$1.6 million) in liabilities.

Included in total sinking funds are U.S. dollar cash, investments and accrued interest converted to \$331.8 million Canadian (2004 - \$359.8 million) at the exchange rate in effect at March 31, 2005 of 1.2096 (2004 - 1.3105).

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Schedule 10 - Public Debt by Maturity

Year of Maturity	2005					(thousands of dollars)	
	Canadian Dollar Debt	U.S. Dollar Debt (CDN \$)	Total (CDN \$)	Average Coupon Rate	2004		
					Total (CDN\$)	Average Coupon Rate	
Government Service Organizations							
Short-term promissory notes.....	\$ 155,551	\$ -	\$ 155,551	2.43%	\$ 187,500	2.07%	
2004-05.....	-	-	-	-	1,162,850	8.37%	
2005-06.....	785,149	-	785,149	6.17%	762,062	6.21%	
2006-07.....	1,148,652	-	1,148,652	6.22%	1,126,791	5.85%	
2007-08.....	462,174	-	462,174	5.85%	464,682	5.06%	
2008-09.....	601,575	-	601,575	5.06%	620,131	4.85%	
2009-10.....	915,426	-	915,426	4.90%	-	-	
1-5 years	4,068,527	-	4,068,527		4,324,016		
6-10 years.....	3,095,944	60,480	3,156,424	7.25%	3,187,519	7.08%	
11-15 years.....	111,960	-	111,960	5.93%	619,609	10.04%	
16-20 years.....	351,525	272,160	623,685	8.34%	708,487	8.34%	
21-25 years.....	275,000	-	275,000	5.80%	250,000	5.75%	
26-30 years.....	340,000	-	340,000	6.14%	340,000	6.13%	
Thereafter.....	251,525	-	251,525	5.62%	50,000	5.70%	
	8,494,481	332,640	8,827,121		9,479,631		
Sinking funds.....	(465,784)	(257,577)	(723,361)		(755,896)		
Debt of Government Service Organizations	8,028,697	75,063	8,103,760		8,723,735		
Government Business Enterprises							
Short-term promissory notes.....	47,149	-	47,149	2.43%	47,500	2.07%	
2004-05.....	-	-	-	-	209,218	11.41%	
2005-06.....	252,828	-	252,828	8.66%	252,784	8.67%	
2006-07.....	129,522	-	129,522	9.53%	129,513	9.50%	
2007-08.....	371,725	59,270	430,995	7.84%	435,930	7.79%	
2008-09.....	121,942	-	121,942	9.01%	121,930	8.97%	
2009-10.....	49,876	-	49,876	9.58%	-	-	
1-5 years	973,042	59,270	1,032,312		1,196,875		
6-10 years.....	375,269	30,240	405,509	6.28%	401,650	6.77%	
11-15 years.....	30,114	-	30,114	7.18%	30,903	6.18%	
16-20 years.....	785,726	30,240	815,966	8.98%	826,981	8.93%	
21-25 years.....	282,354	-	282,354	7.65%	287,017	7.82%	
26-30 years.....	660,000	-	660,000	6.13%	660,000	6.13%	
Thereafter.....	354,816	-	354,816	5.45%	4,816	13.50%	
	3,461,321	119,750	3,581,071		3,408,242		
Sinking funds.....	(146,397)	(74,200)	(220,597)		(191,640)		
Debt of Government Business Enterprises	3,314,924	45,550	3,360,474		3,216,602		
Total Public Debt	\$ 11,343,621	\$ 120,613	\$ 11,464,234		\$ 11,940,337		

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Schedule 10 (continued) - Public Debt by Maturity

The average effective interest rate on total public debt during 2004-05 was 7.1 per cent (2003-04 - 6.2 per cent) and includes the impact of foreign exchange and the amortization of any premiums or discounts associated with the debentures. The average term to maturity of total public debt outstanding at March 31, 2005 is 9.9 years (2004 - 9.0 years).

Total public debt includes Canada Pension Plan debentures of \$977.3 million (2004 - \$1,081.6 million). These debentures are callable in whole or in part before maturity, on 30 days prior notice, at the option of the Minister of Finance of Saskatchewan.

Total public debt includes debentures of \$470.5 million (2004 - \$440.0 million) that provide the holder with a choice of dates on which the debt matures. The year of maturity reflects the earliest possible date of maturity rather than the maximum term to maturity.

Sensitivity of Debt and Debt Charges

U.S. dollar debentures have been converted to Canadian dollars at the exchange rate in effect at March 31, 2005 of 1.2096 (2004 - 1.3105, except for 194.0 million U.S. dollars converted at the cross currency swaption rate of 1.3690). A one cent change in the value of the U.S. dollar compared to the Canadian dollar from the March 31, 2005 level would change debt charges by \$0.5 million in 2005-06 and debt by \$1.5 million.

Debt of government service organizations includes floating rate debt of \$1,159.3 million (2004 - \$2,058.5 million). Floating rate debt is defined as the sum of floating rate debentures, short-term promissory notes, fixed rate debt maturing within one year and Saskatchewan Savings Bonds. A one percentage point increase in interest rates would increase debt charges by \$11.6 million in 2005-06.

Derivative Financial Instruments

Cross Currency Swaps

The following foreign-denominated items have been hedged to Canadian dollars using cross currency swaps:

- debentures totalling 5.0 billion yen (2004 - 10.0 billion) fully hedged to \$63.7 million Canadian (2004 - \$130.8 million);
- debentures totalling 1,320.0 million U.S. dollars (2004 - 1,151.0 million) fully hedged to \$1,764.7 million Canadian (2004 - \$1,588.7 million); and
- interest payments on debentures of 275.0 million U.S. dollars (2004 - 50.0 million) hedged to Canadian dollars at an exchange rate of 1.2325.

In total, the Government has cross currency swaps on a notional value of debt of \$2,231.0 million (2004 - \$1,915.4 million). The effectiveness of these hedges is assessed on an ongoing basis by monitoring the credit ratings of the counterparties to the hedges.

Interest Rate Swaps

The Government has interest rate swaps on a notional value of debt of \$362.5 million (2004 - \$851.3 million).

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Schedule 11 - Guaranteed Debt

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
<i>The Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan Act</i>		
BSE Livestock Loan Guarantee Program.....	\$ 30,005	\$ 30,005
<i>The NewGrade Energy Inc. Act</i>		
NewGrade Energy Inc.	29,133	42,175
<i>The Crown Corporations Act, 1993</i>		
Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership	26,000	60,000
NewGrade Energy Inc.	22,254	32,217
Meadow Lake OSB Limited Partnership	-	21,181
<i>The Farm Financial Stability Act</i>		
Breeder associations.....	17,899	17,901
Feeder associations.....	7,789	11,219
<i>The Industry and Commerce Development Act</i>		
Saskferco Products Inc.	-	36,088
Other.....	17,754	22,193
Total Guaranteed Debt	\$ 150,834	\$ 272,979

Total guaranteed debt is net of a loss provision of \$8.5 million (2004 - \$8.6 million).

In addition to the amount shown, there is a contingent liability for interest accrued on these items.

BSE Livestock Loan Guarantee Program

The Government has guaranteed certain loans of livestock producers affected by export market restrictions on cattle. The loans are due in 2008.

NewGrade Energy Inc. (NewGrade)

The Government has guaranteed certain long-term debt of NewGrade to a maximum of \$360 million. A significant portion of this guarantee relates to U.S. denominated debt. Thus, the amount of the guarantee is influenced by changes in the value of the U.S. dollar relative to the Canadian dollar.

The Government has also indemnified the Government of Canada for its guarantee of NewGrade's long-term debt, to a maximum of \$275 million.

Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership (MLPLP)

The Government has guaranteed certain debentures issued by MLPLP. The debentures are due in 2006. During 2004-05, the Government changed the accounting treatment of its investment in MLPLP, as disclosed in note 16, resulting in a decrease in guaranteed debt of \$30 million as at April 1, 2004.

Breeder and Feeder Associations

The Government provides guarantees to lenders who make loans to production associations. The Government guarantees repayment of 25 per cent of the outstanding loan balance at the time of a first default on any advance, plus accrued interest as of the time that payment is to be made on the guarantee. Guarantees for each cattle association are limited to \$6 million under both the breeder and feeder options. Guarantees for each bison association are limited to \$5 million under the feeder option. Guarantees for each sheep association are limited to \$4 million under both the breeder and feeder options.

Saskferco Products Inc. (Saskferco)

The Government has guaranteed certain medium-term notes issued by Saskferco. This guarantee pertains to debt denominated in U.S. dollars. Thus, the amount of the guarantee is influenced by changes in the value of the U.S. dollar relative to the Canadian dollar. At March 31, 2005, the debt of \$78.6 million was fully offset by Saskferco's equity in a sinking fund.

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Schedule 12 - Revenue

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Taxation		
Individual income.....	\$ 1,329,081	\$ 1,245,763
Sales.....	985,079	854,480
Corporation capital.....	381,289	371,479
Fuel.....	361,039	356,773
Corporation income.....	257,679	310,573
Tobacco.....	187,029	176,747
Other.....	89,156	83,019
Total Taxation	3,590,352	3,398,834
Non-renewable Resources		
Oil.....	906,938	774,488
Potash.....	305,494	120,179
Natural gas.....	212,440	210,455
Other.....	49,319	35,840
Total Non-renewable Resources	1,474,191	1,140,962
Other Own-source Revenue		
Fees		
Motor vehicle licencing.....	121,549	119,412
Health care.....	116,386	122,281
Subsidized housing rental.....	78,677	77,844
Other.....	305,786	265,649
Investment income		
Interest and dividends.....	117,629	105,727
Earnings from equity investments.....	102,388	14,557
Loss on sale of other investments.....	-	(631)
Insurance	132,175	148,565
Other	342,682	267,494
Total Other Own-source Revenue	1,317,272	1,120,898
Total Own-source Revenue	6,381,815	5,660,694
Transfers from the Federal Government		
Equalization.....	581,570	41,284
Canada Health Transfer.....	452,396	-
Canada Social Transfer.....	262,742	-
Canada Health and Social Transfer.....	-	750,558
Crop insurance contributions.....	209,480	126,017
Housing subsidy.....	65,801	50,602
Health Reform Fund.....	46,732	-
Other.....	376,480	321,976
Total Transfers from the Federal Government	1,995,201	1,290,437
Total Revenue	\$ 8,377,016	\$ 6,951,131

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Schedule 13 - Gains and Losses on Other Investments

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
Earnings (Losses) from Equity Investments		
NewGrade Energy Inc. ¹	\$ 69,876	\$ 7,155
Saskferco Products Inc.	19,667	6,197
Meadow Lake OSB Limited Partnership.....	15,802	2,968
Centennial Foods Partnership.....	1,932	365
Hypor LP.....	419	(2,295)
Hypor B.V.	14	(51)
Foragen Technologies Limited Partnership.....	(5,079)	(588)
Meadow Lake Pulp Limited Partnership.....	-	870
Other.....	(243)	(64)
Net Earnings from Equity Investments	102,388	14,557
Loss on Sale of Other Investments	-	(631)
Provision for Loss	(32,267)	(3,352)
Net Gain on Other Investments	\$ 70,121	\$ 10,574

¹ Net of purchase premium amortization of \$1.7 million (2004 - \$15 million).

Schedule 14 - Other Non-cash Items Included in Surplus (Deficit)

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
		(Restated)
Amortization of tangible capital assets (note 4).....	\$ 275,507	\$ 252,914
Net loss on disposal of tangible capital assets.....	3,878	247
Net addition to provision for loss on loans and mortgages.....	1,926	15,515
Amortization of foreign exchange loss.....	1,528	3,660
Earnings retained in sinking funds.....	(43,918)	(47,926)
Net gain on other investments.....	(70,121)	(10,574)
Total Other Non-cash Items Included in Surplus (Deficit)	\$ 168,800	\$ 213,836

Schedule 15 - Net Change in Non-cash Operating Activities

	(thousands of dollars)	
	2005	2004
		(Restated)
Increase in accounts receivable.....	\$ (73,791)	\$ (4,351)
(Increase) decrease in inventories held for resale.....	(13,626)	1,100
(Increase) decrease in deferred charges.....	(4,105)	652
Increase in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.....	337,427	80,459
Increase in unearned revenue.....	7,527	1,889
Increase in prepaid expenses.....	(6,088)	(120)
(Increase) decrease in inventories for consumption.....	(7,342)	2,005
Net Change in Non-cash Operating Activities	\$ 240,002	\$ 81,634

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Schedule 16 - Government Reporting Entity

Government Service Organizations (Consolidated)

Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan	Saskatchewan Arts Board
Agricultural Implements Board	Saskatchewan Association of Health Organizations ¹
Agri-Food Innovation Fund	Saskatchewan Cancer Foundation
Board of Governors, Uranium City Hospital	Saskatchewan Centre of the Arts Fund
Cattle Marketing Deductions Fund	Saskatchewan Communications Network Corporation
Commercial Revolving Fund	Saskatchewan Correspondence School Revolving Fund
Community Initiatives Fund	Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation
Correctional Facilities Industries Revolving Fund	Saskatchewan Development Fund Corporation ^{4c}
Crop Reinsurance Fund of Saskatchewan	Saskatchewan Grain Car Corporation ^{4b}
Crown Investments Corporation of Saskatchewan (non-consolidated) ^{4c}	Saskatchewan Health Information Network
Education Infrastructure Financing Corporation ²	Saskatchewan Health Research Foundation
Extended Health Care Plan ^{4c}	Saskatchewan Heritage Foundation
Extended Health Care Plan for Certain Other Employees ^{4c}	Saskatchewan Housing Corporation ^{4c}
Fiscal Stabilization Fund	Saskatchewan Institute of Applied Science and Technology ^{4a}
Fish and Wildlife Development Fund	Saskatchewan Legal Aid Commission
Forest Fire Contingency Fund ³	Saskatchewan Lotteries Trust Fund For Sport, Culture and Recreation
General Revenue Fund	Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation ^{4c}
Government House Foundation	Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation
Health Quality Council	Saskatchewan Research Council
Highways Revolving Fund ³	Saskatchewan Snowmobile Fund ¹
Horned Cattle Fund	Saskatchewan Student Aid Fund
Individual Cattle Feeder Loan Guarantee Provincial Assurance Fund	Saskatchewan Transportation Company ^{4c}
Information Services Corporation of Saskatchewan ^{4c}	Saskatchewan Water Corporation ^{4c}
Investment Saskatchewan Inc. ^{4c}	Saskatchewan Watershed Authority
Law Reform Commission of Saskatchewan	Saskatchewan Western Development Museum
Learning Resources Distribution Centre Revolving Fund ³	Sask911 Account
Livestock Services Revolving Fund	St. Louis Alcoholism Rehabilitation Centre
Milk Control Board ^{4c}	Training Completions Fund
Northern Revenue Sharing Trust Account ^{4c}	Transportation Partnerships Fund
Oil and Gas Environmental Fund	Victims' Fund
Operator Certification Board	Water Appeal Board
Pastures Revolving Fund	
Prairie Agricultural Machinery Institute	
Public Employees Benefits Agency Revolving Fund	
Public Employees Dental Fund ^{4c}	
Public Employees Disability Income Fund ^{4c}	
Public Employees Group Life Insurance Fund ^{4c}	
Queen's Printer Revolving Fund	
Regional Colleges ^{4a}	
Regional Health Authorities	
Resource Protection and Development Revolving Fund	
Saskatchewan Agricultural Stabilization Fund	
Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission ^{4a}	
Saskatchewan Archives Board	

Government Business Enterprises (Modified Equity)

Liquor and Gaming Authority
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan
Saskatchewan Auto Fund
Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation
Saskatchewan Government Growth Fund Management Corporation
Saskatchewan Government Insurance
Saskatchewan Power Corporation
Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation
SaskEnergy Incorporated
Workers' Compensation Board (Saskatchewan)

¹ Organization determined to be part of the government reporting entity during 2004-05.

² Organization wound up during 2004-05.

³ Organization is inactive as of March 31, 2005.

⁴ The year-ends of certain government service organizations differ from March 31, 2005: ^a June 2004; ^b July 2004; and ^c December 2004.

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General Revenue Fund - Details of Debentures (unaudited)

General Revenue Fund Public Issue Debentures

As at March 31, 2005

General Revenue Fund Public Issue Debentures

General Revenue Fund Public Issue Debentures

General Revenue Fund Public Issue Debentures

Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	Interest Rate %	Interest Payments	Currency	Purpose of Issue	Amount Outstanding	Total Issue Outstanding	Equity of Applicable Sinking Fund	Sinking Fund Contribution 2004-05
Feb. 2/93	Feb. 1/13	7.613	Semiannual	Can.	GRF.....	<u>568,212,000</u>	568,212,000	34,005,385	5,682,000
					(The original 8% \$400,000,000 U.S. debentures have been swapped into Canadian dollars at an interest rate of 7.613%; Non-callable; Payable in New York)			51,779,243 *	
June 17/03	June 17/13	4.75	Annual	Can.	GRF.....	195,000,000	200,000,000	2,116,678	2,000,000
					MFC.....	<u>5,000,000</u>			
					(Euro medium term note; Non-callable; Payable in London)				
July 20/93	July 15/13	7.753	Semiannual	Can.	GRF.....	228,639,500	353,639,500	3,156,613	2,982,600
		7.375		U.S.	GRF.....	<u>50,000,000</u> *			
		7.375		U.S.	Sask Power...	<u>75,000,000</u> *		49,946,623 *	993,900 **
					(\$175,000,000 U.S. of the GRF's \$225,000,000 U.S. share of the 7.375% debenture issue has been swapped into Canadian dollars at an interest rate of 7.753%. Interest payments on the remaining \$50,000,000 U.S. have been swapped into Canadian dollars at an interest rate of 7.912%; Non-callable; Payable in New York)				
Sept. 30/03	Dec. 3/13	4.90	Semiannual	Can.	GRF.....	<u>200,000,000</u>	200,000,000	2,055,357	2,000,000
					(Non-callable; This book-based note is held in the Canadian Depository for Securities)				
March 14/91	April 10/14	10.25	Semiannual	Can.	GRF.....	<u>583,916,000</u>	583,916,000	134,187,275	5,839,160
					(Non-callable; Payable at any Canadian branch of the Royal Bank of Canada)				
June 22/04	June 3/14	5.25	Semiannual	Can.	GRF.....	250,000,000	300,000,000	---	---
					SaskEnergy...	<u>50,000,000</u>			
					(\$250,000,000 of debentures were issued on June 22, 2004; This issue was reopened on December 10, 2004 and an additional \$50,000,000 of debentures were sold; Non-callable; This book-based note is held in the Canadian Depository for Securities)				
Dec. 1/65	Dec. 1/15	5.125	Semiannual	Can.	GRF.....	994,441	1,272,697	---	---
					U. of S.	<u>278,256</u>			
					(Payable in blended semi-annual payments of principal and interest totalling \$76,399.60; Payable in whole or in part any time prior to December 1, 2015, without penalty; Payable in Ottawa)				
Sept. 17/96	Sept. 17/16	7.93	Semiannual	Can.	Sask Water....	<u>15,037,000</u>	15,037,000	---	---
					(Canadian medium term serial note; Payable in annual instalments; Non-callable; Payable in Regina)				
June 17/04	June 17/19	5.00	Semiannual	Can.	GRF.....	<u>33,000,000</u>	33,000,000	---	---
					(Canadian medium term note; After June 17, 2014, this note pays interest at the three month bankers' acceptance rate less 0.245%; Non-callable; This book-based note is held in the Canadian Depository for Securities)				

General Revenue Fund Public Issue Debentures

General Revenue Fund Public Issue Debentures

Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	Interest			Purpose of Issue	Amount Outstanding	Total Issue Outstanding	Equity of Applicable Sinking Fund	Sinking Fund Contribution 2004-05
		Rate %	Interest Payments	Currency					
Aug. 12/04	Sept. 5/35	5.60	Semiannual	Can.	GRF..... SaskPower....	200,000,000 200,000,000	400,000,000	---	---
(\$200,000,000 of debentures were issued on August 12, 2004; This issue was reopened on October 5, 2004 and an additional \$200,000,000 of debentures were sold; Non-callable; This book-based note is held in the Canadian Depository for Securities)									
Feb. 15/05	March 5/37	5.00	Semiannual	Can.	SaskPower....	150,000,000	150,000,000	---	---
(Non-callable; This book-based note is held in the Canadian Depository for Securities)									
Sept. 16/02	Sept. 5/42	5.70	Semiannual	Can.	GRF.....	50,000,000	50,000,000	1,077,061	500,000
(Canadian medium term note; Non-callable; This book-based note is held in the Canadian Depository for Securities)									
* Adjustment to reflect conversion of debentures and related sinking funds quoted in foreign currencies to Canadian dollars using the exchange rate in effect at March 31, 2005 (U.S. \$1.2096)									
Total						\$10,892,896,697	\$875,783,557	\$78,028,774	

** Sinking fund contributions to U.S. dollar sinking funds are made in U.S. dollars. Contributions for general government purposes are shown at the cost in Canadian dollars to purchase U.S. dollars equal to the contribution amount. Contributions for Crown corporation purposes are converted to Canadian dollars at the U.S./Canadian exchange rate at the date the contribution was made.

General Revenue Fund

Debentures Issued to the Minister of Finance of Canada

As at March 31, 2005

Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	Interest Rate %	Amount Outstanding
Canada Pension Plan Investment Fund*			
April 1985 - March 1986	April 2005 - March 2006	11.48	112,507,000
April 1986 - March 1987	April 2006 - March 2007	9.61	133,709,000
April 1987 - March 1988	April 2007 - March 2008	9.61	88,333,000
April 1988 - March 1989	April 2008 - March 2009	10.08	93,932,000
April 1989 - March 1990	April 2009 - March 2010 **	9.90	101,867,000
April 1990 - March 1991	April 2010 - March 2011 **	10.85	90,318,000
April 1991 - March 1992	April 2011 - March 2012 **	9.92	90,664,000
April 1992 - March 1993	April 2012 - March 2013 **	9.37	62,705,000
April 1999 - March 2000	April 2019 - March 2020 **	6.34	46,335,000
April 2000 - March 2001	April 2020 - March 2021 **	6.54	75,553,000
April 2002 - March 2003	April 2022 - March 2023 **	5.89	41,182,000
April 2003 - March 2004	April 2023 - March 2024 **	5.48	40,189,000
			977,294,000
The Municipal Development Loan Fund			
1965 - 1967	2005 - 2007	5.38	5,296
Total			\$ 977,299,296

The average effective interest rate on debentures issued to the Minister of Finance of Canada is 9.31%.

* Canada Pension Debentures have a 20 year maturity. These debentures are callable in whole or in part before maturity, on 30 days prior notice at the option of the Minister of Finance of Saskatchewan.

** Subject in part to annual sinking funds; equity in sinking funds at March 31, 2005, \$68,174,089.

Glossary of Terms

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Glossary of Terms

Accrual Accounting

The method used to prepare the financial statements included in Volume 1 of the Public Accounts. Accrual accounting recognizes financial transactions at the time they occur, regardless of whether any cash is received or paid.

Accumulated Deficit

One of the two measures of a government's financial position (see net debt). The accumulated deficit is the amount by which expenses have exceeded revenues from the beginning of incorporation (1905) plus any adjustments that were charged directly to the accumulated deficit. It is calculated as the difference between assets and liabilities.

Budget

The amount presented in the Estimates and authorized by the Legislative Assembly.

Consolidation

The method used to account for government service organizations in the Summary financial statements in which the accounts are adjusted to the basis of accounting described in note 1d of the Summary financial statements and then combined. Inter-organization balances and transactions are eliminated.

Debt

Terms used when describing debt include:

Guaranteed debt is the debt of others that the Government has agreed to repay if others default.

Sinking funds are funds set aside for the repayment of debt.

Debt (as reported in the General Revenue Fund financial statements) is the debt issued for general government purposes and Crown corporations, net of sinking funds.

Total debt (as reported in the General Revenue Fund financial statements) is the debt issued for general government purposes and Crown corporations, net of sinking funds, plus guaranteed debt.

Public debt (as reported in the Summary financial statements) is the debt of government service organizations, net of sinking funds.

Total public debt (as reported in the Summary financial statements) is the debt of government service organizations and government business enterprises, net of sinking funds.

Debt Reduction Account

The account, established pursuant to *The Balanced Budget Act*, to account for the accumulated surpluses of the General Revenue Fund commencing April 1, 1995.

Fiscal Stabilization Fund (FSF)

The fund established to stabilize the fiscal position of the Government and to facilitate long-term planning. Stabilization occurs through transfers between the FSF and the General Revenue Fund.

General Revenue Fund

The fund into which all revenues are paid, unless otherwise provided for by Legislation, and from which all expenditures are appropriated by the Legislative Assembly.

Government Business Enterprises

Self-sufficient government organizations that have the financial and operating authority to sell goods and services to individuals and organizations outside the government reporting entity as their principal activity. Government business enterprises are recorded in the Summary financial statements using the modified equity method.

Government Business Partnerships

Government partnerships that are self-sufficient and have the financial and operating authority to sell goods and services to individuals and organizations outside the government reporting entity as their principal activity. Government business partnerships are accounted for in the Summary financial statements using the modified equity method.

Government Partnerships

Investments by the Government where there is a contractual arrangement between the Government and one or more partners outside the government reporting entity and where the partners share, on an equitable basis, the risks and benefits of the partnership. Government partnerships, except those designated as government business partnerships, are proportionately consolidated in the Summary financial statements.

Government Service Organizations

Those organizations that are controlled by the Government, except those designated as government business enterprises. Government service organizations are consolidated in the Summary financial statements after adjustment to a basis consistent with the accounting policies described in note 1d of the Summary financial statements.

Modified Equity

The method by which government business enterprises and government business partnerships are accounted for in the Summary financial statements. The Government's investment, which is originally recorded at cost, is adjusted annually to include the net earnings/losses and other net equity changes of the enterprise/partnership without adjustment to conform with the accounting policies described in note 1d of the Summary financial statements. Inter-organizational balances and transactions are disclosed but not eliminated.

Net Debt

One of the two measures of a government's financial position (see accumulated deficit). Net debt is calculated as the difference between financial assets and liabilities.

Pension Liability

An actuarial estimate of discounted future payments to be made to retirees under government pension plans, net of plan assets.

Summary Financial Statements (SFS)

The statements prepared to account for the full nature and extent of the financial activities of the Government. The SFS includes the financial activities of organizations controlled by the Government. These organizations are segregated into two classifications, government service organizations and government business enterprises, and are collectively referred to as the government reporting entity. Trusts administered by the Government are excluded from the government reporting entity.

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